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Seen, Heard and Told

By The Editor

Congratulations to the graduates of G. H. S. and best wishes to them, as well as to members of the faculty.

See where Bilbo has announced that he is a candidate to succeed himself as U. S. Senator. He is trying mightily to scare Hugh out of the race.

See where our esteemed (why they are "esteemed" nobody seems to know) contemporary, the Brookhaven Leader is much elated that Brookhaven is to have a swimming pool. We have one here and it is a financial Jonah.

Congratulations to Collins upon its acumen in reelecting its mayor, Jimmie Arrington. Some day Collins will erect a monument to Jimmie. He is as funny as an armload of crutches.

dere mr top. i hurd thet sum uv thim fellers who didn git no jobs wuz maddern hell.

If America is unprepared, and has only one plane to ten for Hitler, as the United States News says, who is responsible? Has Congress been thinking more of patronage than patriotism, more of political pelf than preparedness? It looks so.

If our boys are drawn into this war, because this country is unprepared, who is responsible for this lack of preparedness?

We make the statement which, we believe, official figures will verify, that Grenada has had a greater percentage growth than any town or city in Mississippi, not excepting Jackson. We believe Grenada will show up with about 35 percent increase during the past decade.

We apologize for an error in our Hit Parade last week. We placed James Russell Lockett in 20th place, whereas he should have been in 17th place.

Don't tell me working crossword puzzles does not increase your vocabulary. I know now what that fellow meant when he said the lady was beetling out behind. Do you?

Look for a scarcity of things which require skilled labor to fabricate. Ere long, manufacture of war supplies will require most of the skilled mechanics and will require all of the factories that can be changed over to the manufature of war materials.

dere mr top. this hear war is bound 2 put pollerticks n the shade fer a wile.

Has anyone seen Rayburn who says he is running for Congress. If we do not see him, within a month, we are going to offer a reward for him.

The Great Mother, the Red Cross, is urgently in need of funds to help assuage the hunger and illness of the homeless people of Northern Europe. Grenada County's quota has been set at a modest sum, $600.00. Mr. Harry Burkley is county chairman. Contributions should be given or sent to Henry Ray, Jr., county treasurer. The cause is worthy, the need great.

The Grenada County Weekly Follows, I guess.

Ben McElwrath, Sax Weir and several other non-belligerents killed nearly 5,000 of the enemy at the Ground Hog forward observation post Thursday morning.

Seriously, it looks at this writing that the Allied line is beginning to hold better.

Butch certainly has been giving Bob Anderson a lot of good advice.

We aldermen have escaped cussing here lately, and so have the poor supervisors.

Blitzkreig has been after our city saloons.

Dear Mike: I will be down there tot see you all as soon as we can get this graduation business off hand.

It looks natural to see old Turner Bailey back at work after a "vacation".

Dear Doctor Grainger: I don't think I will be down there until June 6th.

Get your groceries, bread, meats and snuff on Saturdays, is good advice for Grenadians to follow.

Aint they sweet.

Poor Mississippi.

Sledge is an uncle again.

Horse Show Scheduled To Be Held Here Tuesday Night, June Fourth

Grenada Horse Show, an event that will attract many splendid show horses, now on a grand circuit as well as attract a number of so-called amateur horsemen and their mounts from this immediate section, scheduled for the evening of Tuesday, June 4, is attracting wide attention.

The Grenada Fair Grounds, fully equipped with flood lights, has been prepared for the show. Ample room for the large crowd expected is available in the grand stand immediately overlooking the ring.

At 7:30 P. M. and for half an hour, local horses, gaited or walking, with local owners and riders will compete for the four prizes, $15.00, $10.00, $7.50 and $5.00. A number of entries have been made for this event.

Fourteen other events; Amateur Five Gaited; Walking Stallions; Five Gaited Ponies; Three Gaited Combination; Junior Walking Horses; Children's Horsemanship; Junior Five Gaited; Senior Walking Horses; Fine Harness Class; Senior Walking Geldings; Open Three Gaited; Walking Sweepstakes; Open Five Gaited and Roadsters to Bike, follow each other in the order indicated. For the first eleven events named, prizes of $25, $15 and $10 are offered; for the last named, $30.00, $20.00, $15.00 and $5.00 are offered.

The Ringmaster will be Mr. Charles C. Cartwright who so capably managed the ring at Grenada's first successful show two years ago. Rayburn Jones of Leland will announce.

This show is being sponsored by Grenada Horse Show Association and the Jaycees of Grenada.

Tickets will be on sale next week.

Contraband Potatoes From Louisiana Destroyed

Hundreds of bushels of Louisiana sweet potatoes infested with the sweet potato weevil, and illegally shipped into Mississippi, have been confiscated and destroyed the past ten days, the State Plant Board. Potatoes have been burned at Hattiesburg, McComb, Greenville, Indianola, Vicksburg, Jackson, Starkville, Ackerman, Eupora, and other towns throughout the state. Many of the potatoes were badly infested with the weevil, which is the worst pest of the sweet potato, according to the Board.

Plant Board inspectors have intercepted these potatoes in grocery stores, on produce trucks, and at wholesale groceries. Most of them came in from New Orleans, which is in a section heavily infested with the weevil.

Grocerymen and produce buyers are warned that potatoes found in their possession from Louisiana will be confiscated and burned, and wilful violators of the Plant Board quarantine will be prosecuted. The State Plant Board is waging a successful eradication program against the sweet potato weevil and the importation of thes, infested potatoes will greatly hamper this work or render it useless. The Board has appealed to all wholesale grocers and produce dealers of Mississippi to cooperate fully and assist in preventing the establishment of this pest in various parts of the state.

The Stork Flew By And Left . . .

a little daughter, Glenda Lee, for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cohea of Gore Springs at their home in Gore Springs on May 14, 1940.

a little son, nott yet named, for Mr. and Mrs. Dwight A. Austin, of Tie Plant at Grenada Hospital May 22, 1940.

STATE COLLEGE GRADUATES

Grenada county furnishes four of the huge class of graduates at Mississippi State College this year: Bennie Franklin Ward, George Hamilton Baker, Harold Biddy and James Wallace Hudson.

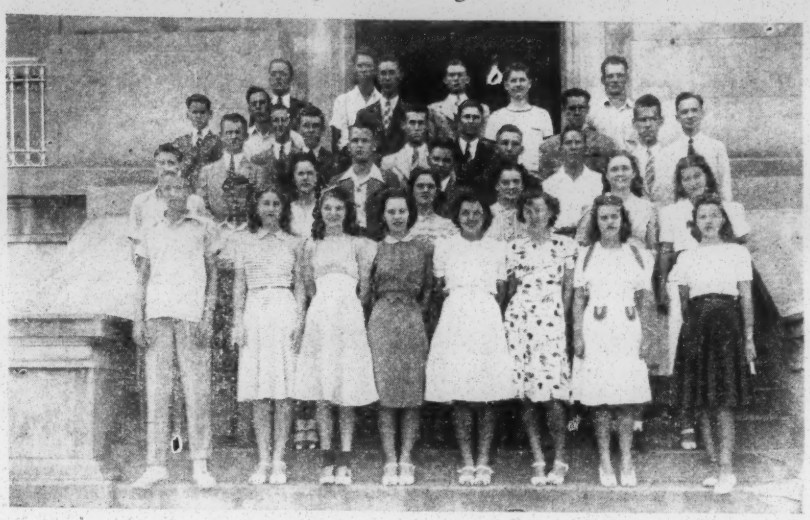
Mayor Bob Sharp attended preaching Sunday.

Our good friend Charlie Cohea from Beat Three did not deign to honor Beale Street, but we saw him fooling around on Main Street Saturday.

The new cow-catcher, Smith of South of the Border, was walking around with a big cotton rope Saturday.

Well, "Miss" Willie paid off all the old aldermen last Thursday.

Grenada High Graduating Class of 1940



Bottom row, left to right: Rice Pressgrove York, Florence Gant, Anita Hamby, Margie Collins, Frances Davis, Vera Payne, Mildred Thomas, Martha Jane Kettle.

Second step or row, left to right: Max Juchheim, Charles Calloway, Jewel Rounsaville, Sue Helen Field, Hilda Taylor, Marie Blaylock, Dorothy Whitaker.

Third row, left to right: Bryant Baker, Jack Hudson, William Gammon, William Winter, Edgar Brunson, Fred Hill Joiner, Fred Hodges, David Turner, Allen Anderson, Jack Felts, John White, Francis Hill.

Back row, left to right: Willard Smith, Wornack Smith, Jr., John Vickery, Kenneth Nail, Walter Trussell, Posey Gant, D. M. Taylor, Jr., Cecil Hendricks.

Those not present for picture were: Elizabeth Dogan, Elizabeth Brooks, Chapman Roane, Dick Rule, Volner Wilson, Austine Kelly, Onie Eidson, Charline Chapuis.

Spratlin's Firestone Store To Have Opening Friday

Spratlin's Firestone Store, located in the John Horton Building on Main Street, will have a formal opening Friday, May 24 from four until seven o'clock. This store has a brand new stock of the well-known Firestone brand of tires, tubes, batteries, other automobile accessories and useful home supplies.

The store has been painted on the inside and front, and has a brand new attractive awning (a thing the writer longed for during the three years he stayed in that building), and has modern and convenient display counters and shelves.

This store is owned by Mr. O. D. Spratlin, former county superintendent of education who needs no introduction to the people of this section. Mr. James A. Terry, an experienced auto accessory salesman, will be with Mr. Spratlin.

Mr. Spratlin urges all of the people of this section to attend the formal opening of his new store, where he and Mr. Terry will take much pleasure in showing visitors "around".

Thus Grenada Grows.

Mr. James Anderson Rice Died Friday at Holcomb

On Friday morning, May 17th at 11:45 o'clock the sweet spirit of Mr. James Anderson Rice was called away from it's earthly home to be it's Heavenly Father's House. Truly a gracious soul fell asleep. He had been in ill health for more than a year, but was not confined to his bed, but a very short time. Strength persistence and courage were dominant qualities in his life and character. Vitality, eagerness and interest were his to the end. He, having gone out on his work only a few days before his "going away." He was so interested in his home and family, a man of clean habits, a man that inspires others to follow his example.

He united with the Methodist Church when he was eighteen years of age. He was a faithful member of the Holcomb Methodist Church at the time of his death. His strong faith in God sustaining him as he quietly slipped away to be always with his Master, brings comfort and cheer to those he leaves. May God's grace and love comfort the stricken family.

Mr. Rice is survived by his wife, Mrs. Verna Clark Rice, two sons, Sidney and Wade, of Holcomb, his father, W. M. Rice, of Scottsboro, Ala. three sisters, Mrs. John B. Brooks and Mrs. Edith Hames, of New Hope, Ala., Mrs. Iva Lewis, of Scottsboro, Ala., Mrs. James Baggess, of Carter, Okla., two brothers, Rev. George Rice, of Hokes Bluff, Ala., and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Rice was born December 22, 1876 at Owens Crossward, Ala., came to Mississippi in the year of 1900.

The funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at the Methodist Church at 2 o'clock by his pastor, Rev. A. W. Bailey. Interment in the Sparta Cemetery. Many floral offerings gave testimony to the love and esteem in which Mr. Rice was regarded.

The pallbearers were: Robert Carver, Wayne Ray, Wallace Creswell, G. O. Sandford, Melnot Hill and Lanlum Morehead.

MRS. A. W. BAILEY

Who's At The Hospital

BY AINT THEY SWEET

Patients in the hospital: Grady H. Peterson, (child), Calhoun City; Miss Catherine Neal, (child), Calhoun City; Mr. Press Lott, Grenada Route 2; Mrs. L. L. Mills, Courtland; Roy Dean Prestage, Water Valley; Mrs. C. W. Baker, Sweatman; Mr. J. M. Grantham, Grenada Route 1; Mrs. John Duke, Scobey; Mr. John Vickery, Grenada Route 2; Mrs. C. G. Robinson, Grenada; Miss Sally Dubard, Holcomb; Mr. Hubbard Babbett, Grenada; Mrs. L. H. Johnson, Banner; Mr. Fox Spruill, Grenada; Mr. W. T. Hazzard, Sweatman; Miss Wylie McKee, Sardis; Mr. Karl Haven, Big Creek; Hary Lott, Holcomb.

Patients dismissed: Mr. Dave Williams, Jr., Big Creek; Mrs. J. W. Jordan, Grenada Route 5; Mrs. C. H. McMahan, Big Creek; Mrs. J. L. Atkins, Pine Valley; Mr. Thos Rose, rJ., Grenada; Hubert Thompson, Winona; Mr. W. K. Reddick, Coffeeville.

WPA Lunch Room To Close During Summer Months

(By Mrs. W. W. Whitaker)

One of the most outstanding of the W. P. A. project is the serving of lunches to underprivileged children during the school term.

The W. P. A. lunch room located in the grammar school building has just closed for the summer (others in the county closed at end of school) and it is with genuine pleasure we commend the supervisors of the lunch room upon the successful year just completed.

Here a child can be fed lunch a whole month for $1.20

The Grenada county record speaks for itself and is as follows:

In January 334 children were served 4754 lunches. In February 341 were served 5487 lunches. In March 312 children were served 625 lunches and in April 334 children were served 5691 lunches, a total of 1321 children were served 22,183 lunches.

The payroll for this project is approximately $500.00 per month.

Mrs. Elam, supervisor furnished the above data and we feel sure that the many individuals, church auxiliaries and other groups, who have sponsored the feeding of these children, will be gratified to know that the children of Grenada county have been substantially fed at the W. P. A. lunch room.

The supervisors of the lunch room are also in charge of gardening and canning projects in the county. They will soon begin to can all surplus vegetables. Visit them and see for yourself the splendid work being done. Where we once had waste, we have conservation where we, at one time, had the problem of the underfed school child and uncertainity as how best to cope with the situation, we now have a federal project lunch room supervised by ladies interested in their work and the individual they serve.

Diversified Occupation Work To Be Offered at GHS

The Grenada School Board of Trustees with the cooperation of the business men, voted to add a new program to the high school curriculum for the coming year, 1940-41. This program called a Cooperative Part-Time Diversified Occupations Program, and the plan operates as follows:

High School juniors and seniors, 16 years of age and over, are enrolled in the program and spend one-half of each day in bona fide employment in their chosen trade or occupation for the purpose of securing organized instruction on the job as student-learners. Two periods of the remaining half day of the high school time are devoted to directed and supervised study of technical and related subjects pertinent to the trade or occupation in which the student is receiving training to enter. Technical subjects are studied on a supervised and directed, study basis. Related subjects are those which may be taught on a group basis and include such subjects as economics, civics, personality training, job ethics, job responsibilities, etc. Stress is also placed upon the development of good work habits and attitudes. The remaining part of the school day may be devoted to the study of regular high school courses. Juniors and seniors who are enrolled in the program will carry two other regular high school subjects in order to meet the requirements for graduation.

Pupils enrolled in this program are usually juniors and seniors, but students who have graduated from high school and can profit from the training are not excluded.

An illustration of the program carried on by a high school student is as follows:

John Jones wishes to be an auto mechanic when he graduates from high school, and he would like to receive training in this occupation while he is in school, but no facilities are available in the school for this training. The instructor of the Diversified Occupatioss Program would interview John Jones, and after carefully checking John's qualifications to determine whether he is suited to the auto mechanic's field, would contact some garage up town and place John as a student learner. John would go to school in the mornings taking two regular high school subjects, and two periods of related work in Diversified Occupations under the instructor. In the afternoon, he would work up town in the garage for a minimum of 3 hours each day. Two credits would be allowed him on a vocational basis for the time spent in employment and the time John devoted to related studies. In addition, John would receive a small wage for his work in the training agency.

Pay is not the objective of the program and any student who enters the program for this reason will not succeed. A small amount of pay is required in order to bind the employer-employee relationship.

Our old friend, Paul B. Purnell, who sold insurance here for awhile a year or so ago, is now manager of the Kroger Store at Leland.

Mayor Sharp acquitted himself very well at his first trials.

Aint they sweet.

Forty-Three Grenada Seniors Will Receive Diplomas This Friday Night

Forty-three graduates — young men and young women will receive their diplomas after impressive exercises Friday evening, May 24, 1940. Of this class, Mr. William Winter is Valedictorian, Mr. Kenneth Nail is Salutatorian.

The commencement exercises proper began last Friday evening with a Piano-Voice and Glee Club recital participated in by pupils of Miss Inez Donaldson, directer. "Invitation to the Bells" by the Glee Club was the first feature; "Night Is Calling" by the Glee Club concluded the evening's recital. Solo numbers by the following were rendered: Grace Hendrix, Orabelle Nail, Ella Thomas, Chrisie Idle, Mary Jane Dufrene, Laverne Wilson, June Williams, Joan Gupter, Lucie Thomas, Joan Scott Burt, Mary Jo Austin, Marjorie Chapman, Martha Cullen, J. Y. Smith, Stella Irby, Nellie Joiner, Frances Kincaid, Mary Nell Rayburn, Pearl Martindale, Ruth Townes, Margaret Spain, Dorothy Talbert, Carolyn Whitaker and Julia Marie Guidry.

Sacred services, the high spot in which was the commencement sermon by Rev. W. B. Selah, were held in the high school auditorium last Sunday evening. The processional, a hymn, "Come Thou Almight King"; invocation by Rev. Glen Eric Wiley; a scripture lesson; a tenor solo, "The Earth is the Lord's" by Dick Rule; an anthem, "Praise Ye the Father"; the sermon; another hymn, "Day Is Dying In The West"; the benediction by Rev. T. B. Thrower and the recessional were parts of this inspirational program.

Tuesday evening Miss Donaldson and Mrs. Hathorn presented their grammar school pupils in a piano, voice and expression recital.

Participating in this recital were the following pupils: Laverne Wilson, Joreen Jordan, Mary and Joyce Gantt, Sam Barranco, Carl Jordan, Tootsie Bailey, Jimmie Smith, Guy Brancomb, Katherine Parry, Kitsey Bailey, Orley Lilly, Ruth Brewer, Eli Whitaker, Mary Jane Perry, Ann Horton, Helen Dubard, Louise Marascalco, J. Y. Smith, Howard Cheek, Olive Semmes, Norrell Nobles, Marjorie Ann Irby, Julius Murray, Lolla Ann Murray, Mary Louise Irby, Mary Ellen Moss, Carolyn Briscoe, Lynn Chapuis and Muriel Cooper.

This (Thursday) afternoon, beginning at 5 o'clock, Senior Class Day exercises are being held. Tonight, promotional exercises in the grammar school are being given. Tomorrow night, that is Friday night, commencement exercises are to be observed in the high school auditorium, where the graduates listed beneath the group picture are to receive their diplomas.

The last issue of the Bulldog, student publication, contains much other information concerning the graduates and the closing exercises, occupies all of page 3.

Officers Issue Warning To Traffic Light Violators

TO THE CITIZENSHIP
OF GRENADA, MISSISSIPPI

The former Board of Mayor and Aldermen passed an ordinance regarding traffic regulations, which was in accordance with the laws of the City of Grenada. This was done for the safety of the general public. As Mayor and Police Officers it will be our duty to see that these laws are enforced. So we are asking the Citizenship of Grenada to assist the Officers by giving the Officers their cooperation.

R. W. SHARP, Mayor
W. W. ODOM, City Marshal
5-23, 30; 6-6 10w

Many of the people of Grenada who saw the beautiful Miss Holcomb of Clarksdale, who was Queen of the Cotton Carnival, did not know that she is the niece of Mr. E. D. Holcomb and of Mrs. Hortense Matthews of Holcomb. The beautiful queen is daughter of Dr. Paschal Holcomb, born and reared near what is now Holcomb, and son of the late D. L. Holcomb.

Thanks to Alf Stone for a copy of a comprehensive report concerning the expenditures and estimated receipts for the biennium 1940-42, which shows that there is an impending deficit of only about two millions. Oh me.

Orley Lilly paid his wife's subscription recently. It will burden the record to say under what conditions he paid it. Suffice to say, everything is hunky dory now on the books.

Aint they sweet.

My Column

Whyte Whitaker, Jr.

If the madman from Berlin whips the Allies to their feet, he might want to call the Atlantic Ocean, "Adolphic Ocean", something the United States should resent.

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Denmark and Norway, are known as "Dermark, and Nordicway". Sweden is still hopeful that she won't be known as "Zweiden."

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It looks as though Germany has about secured control of the English Channel. Wonder what they will name it? Probably, "Nazi Channel."

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Here's hoping that the patriotic Frenchmen don't have to call their beautiful Capitol, "Parsatz", and the Englishmen their seat of government "Unter Den London."

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If Hitler decides he wants Switzerland, the American tourist, when deciding to go skying, will say, "let's take a vacation in "Flitzerland".

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"Hitleropia" is spreading like oil dropped on a ball, but if the Allies are victorous just watch the "Fuhrerland" reduce to the size of Angoria, which will be about 2 square miles too large.

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We won't have a chance to go back to school and learn how to pronounce all these topsy-turby names—that's one good reason, if none other, that we want the Allies to win.

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In Hitler's "Mein Kramph" he said, "I decided to conquer the world by the force of arms, and I bent every effort and every German to building up a mighty armament without letting the other nations know it. This was a very simple matter. All I had to do was to tell them to look the other way."

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When this "Charlie Chaplin" looking thing told the world this the world laughed back at him; thought he was doing the act of a buffoon; said he was absurd; called him a fool for his hibitual folly.

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People regarded his sayings with the same air as they do the tale about Al-Borak, a winged animal with a human face, on which Mohammed supposedly rode to the seventh heaven.

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Now after it is too late, almost anyway, the suffering nations have woke up to the realization that they should have payed a little attention to the "Ettlh", and nipped him in the bud.

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Sometime during the latter part of the 7th century, in England, there was a poem written, entitled, Beowulf". It tells of a horrible monster named Grendel, who killed many people. Finally as the poem goes on, Beowulf, a powerful and fearless worrier slays this murdering deamon.

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May the Good Lord put some of the fighting strength of Beowulf into the English people. It seems that nothing short of a mirical can save them.

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Hitler is now the devastating deamon, and spreads death and destruction even faster than the legendary monster, Grendel.

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Hitler has boasted of his secret weapon, and has puzzled military experts on the nature of it.

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We have wondered if it is a bacteriological type of warfare. Anyway here is what he said in his book "A nation deprived of its rights may use any weapon, even bacterial warfare—I can quite imagine we might control Britain in this way or even America."

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Time will tell if he has a bacterial weapon to use on suffering humanity.

Fred Simmons has been nominated to take the place of Bob Anderson on the Hit Parade.

Personally, I am not so damned neutral as I was several weeks ago. I shudder to think what will happen to this nation should Hitler win.

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Fifteen to Graduate From Grenada Colored School

The Commencement Exercises at the Grenada Colored High School, of which Professor J. H. Moseley is head, will come to a close next Thursday night when Superintendent John Rundle of the city school system will deliver to fifteen graduates their diplomas.

The graduates are: Ora Lee Binford, Mary Frances Bostic (vice president), Shellie Ross Burkhead (treasurer), Elizabeth Ann Curry, Ollie Mae Davis, Charles Edward Farmer (president), Ollie Louise Govan, Tommie Lee Jolliff, Ernest Andrew Keys (business manager), Emma Pruitt Smith, Norma Lee Smith, Obelma Spessard Smith (secretary), Marion Elizabeth Thompson, Lottie Lorene Williams (assistant secretary), and Myrtis Carlyne Willis.

The school exercises began with a comedy drama, "Happy Valley" by the sixth graders on April 25. The second and the fifth grades had a program on April 29th. The first grade gave two operettas on May 2nd. The third grade gave a play "Having Their Pictures Took" on May 9th. The eighth grade play, "Up Hill to Paradise" was given by the eighth grade on May 13. The seventh and the ninth grades combined on May 16 to render an operetta, "Love Pirates of Hawawi".

On Sunday, May 19, the R. Nathaniel Dett Music Club gave its annual musicale under the direction of the principal's wife. The tenth grade drama, "Freckles" scheduled for tonight. Next Monday, the 11th and 12th grades are scheduled to enact a drama, "On The Bridge At Midnight." Class Exercises are scheduled for Friday, May 24th.

The Baccaulureate Sermon by Rev. J. W. Hair of Jackson, Miss., will be the feature of next Sunday. In addition to the sermon, other features will be: The Processional by the Choir and the Graduating Class; Music by the High School Choir; a scriptual reading by Rev. G. A. A. Jones; another song by the choir, "Depths of Mercy"; the invocation by Rev. G. A. A. Jones; offeratory and announcements; a solo by Thelma Smith entitled "Grant M. Dear Lord Deep Peace of Mind"; then more music by the choir, followed by the benediction and recessional.

Commencement Night, May 30th, will be filled with music and song, both before and after the delivery of the diplomas by Superintendent Rundle. A feature on this night's program will be the Commencement Address by the well-known educator, Professor P. S. Bowles of Alcorn College.

Professor Moseley and his corps of teachers are to be congratulated upon the fine character of school work that they have done, and are doing in Grenada, and upon the planning and fulfillment of a program that would do credit to any school.

How is this for being tired? As tired as a dollar bill after an all night crap game.

Farmer N. N. Wright from Beat Four was a recent visitor to our midst.

We got cussed out in several places last week for leaving out a good deal of news. We just had to leave out something. That's a cross that an editor has.

We Presbyterians had a fine fish fish fry Friday night. Everyone calls me a "fish" Presbyterian.

HOLCOMB NEWS

The Methodist revival is in progress now, having begun Sunday night. The visiting pastor, Rev. Archie P. Stephen from Kosciusko, could not be with us until Monday night's service. Rev. A. W. Bailey, the pastor, preached Sunday night. At the Monday morning service at 11 o'clock we had the pleasure of having Rev. T. B. Thrower, from Grenada, come and preach for us. Everyone in the town and community is invited to come and worship with us in these services. May it be a united effort for the betterment of our town religiously and spiritually pray for the revival and attend.

Mrs. Amos Rogers and children from Greenwood, spent the week-end in our town with her mother, Mrs. L. T. Hayden and brothers, Paul and Dotson.

We are happy to know that Mr. Harris, brother of Mrs. Hattie Singleton, is able to be over for a visit. He has been in ill health for several weeks.

"Mother Elliott" has returned home from a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Emma Atkinson has been visiting in our community in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Holloman, and attended church at the Methodist Church Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Turner and family visited in the Sparta Community Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Edd Gee had the pleasure of having all her brothers and sisters and families with her on last Sunday. They spent the day at the old home cemetery near Carrollton where her mother is buried. There were thirty-seven in all in this group of loved ones who gathered at the Jefferson cemetery in the morning, carrying beautiful floral offerings and lovingly placed them on the grave of their mother who passed away a few years ago. After making the grave beautiful they all assembled and spread a beautiful and delicious lunch. In the afternoon they went into the church for a short service. A hymn was sung, then Mr. John D. Brewer read the scripture lesson and offered prayer. Other hymns dear to their hearts were sung. Service closed by all praying the Lord's prayer. A nice donation was given to the church by the family of children in memory of their dear mother. Those present were: Messrs. J. D. and Walter Brewer and families, of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Brewer, of Hinassa Dam, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brewer, of Greenwood; Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brewer, of Turwiler; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brewer, of Clarksdale; a grandson, Chester D. Brewer and family, from Humboldt, Tenn.; a cousin, Mrs. Mell Brewer Coleman, from Clarksdale; Messrs. George and Jim Keasler, from Holcomb; Mrs. John Hayden, of Holcomb; Mr. Henry Heggie and his wife, from Grenada. Mr. Heggie is a grandson of Mrs. Brewer. Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Smith, from Baltom, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, from Clarksdale; Messrs. John Hayden and Johnnie Flax, from Memphis; Mrs. Bren Holland, from Greenwood; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Gee and son, Eugene, from Holcomb.

Everyone is delighted to have Miss Mabel Martin at home again. She has taught in the Paynes School for the past session.

The entire town and community was made sad last Friday morning when Mr. J. A. Rice passed away at 11:45 o'clock. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in Holcomb Methodist Church at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. W. Bailey had charge of the service. We extend our tenderest sympathy to the bereaved ones.

CASCILLA NEWS

The spacious home of Mrs. Pate Brown was thrown open to the members of W. M. S. last Monday afternoon for an evening of entertainment. Several contests were given which afforded great amusement after which a delicious salad course was served.

Mrs. Tribble, with her daughter and sons, of Clarksdale, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Brown for Sunday, Mrs. Tribble being the sister of Mr. Brown.

Misses Jane and Sue Whitten being graduates of the Moorhead Junior College have just returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Joe Savage, of Texas, are visiting Mrs. Joe Shackleford, who is the mother of Mr. Savage.

MT. NEBO NEWS

Mrs. John Provine and brother, Edward Jones, spent Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs. Emma Jones, of Holly Springs. Sorry we failed to get this in last week.

Oswald Merritt, another one of our pets, who is in CCC Camp Houston, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Merritt last week-end.

Mrs. Will Young, of Graysport, is visiting her parents, Squire and Mrs. M. O. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Poyner, now of Hardy, visited friends here last week-end. They report very little sin there and the hospitality is almost equal to Nebo, which is saying lots.

We regret to put up a howl, but there is an acute shortage of men's sox here. It would be embarrassing should a bunch of fifth column devils spill out on us and we be forced to rush frantically at them, some with sock only on one foot, colors not matched, and horror of horror some as sockless as a south sea islander.

We sure don't wish to write anything for this column that is not at least of some human interest, but we must say, we have had so many inquiries as to if, when and where we are to take a vacation. Beg to say, we don't deserve any. During our past life we have lost already too many precious moments, but if we are forced to take one we have three places in view. Very little sin at either place but the lid is strictly off. We tell it next week.

Lost: J. M. Beckum.

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Our store is neatly arranged for displaying merchandise. We shall be equipped to take care of our trade to the perfect satisfaction of our customers. It shall be our aim to carry a complete line of tires, tubes, batteries, and auto supplies, as well as the most popular and useful home supplies.

On Friday, May 24, from four to seven p. m., we are holding an open house to which we are cordially inviting the public to attend and inspect our store. At that time it shall be our happy privilege to receive and conduct our visitors through our place of business.

Our business is located on Main Street in the John J. Horton building, formerly occupied by The Grenada Sentinel and Daily Star.

To assist in the operation of the business we have obtained the service of a trained, honest young man, Mr. James Aubrey Terry, who has had several years of experience as operator of an auto supply store. He was born and reared near Grenada and married a Grenada county young lady. His wife is the daughter of Mr. Albert Clark of the Mt. Nebo community.

Please read our advertisement appearing in this issue of the paper. Study your catalog which has been mailed to you and select the articles you need. We are here to serve you honestly and efficiently and shall greatly appreciate a portion of your business. We are small enough to need your business, large enough to give it, and grateful enough to appreciate it.

Please visit us on our opening day and be convinced that we are equipping ourselves to serve you.

Respectfully yours,

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Opens Friday **May 24th**

Child Welfare Work Made Possible By Poppy Funds

When the citizens of Grenada put on their memorial poppies on Poppy Day, May 27, to honor the World War dead, they will be helping children of dead and disabled veterans to a fair start in life, according to the child welfare chairman of Grenada Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Money contributed for the poppies will help maintain the Auxiliary's child welfare activities during the coming year, she explained. Much of it will go into emergency aid for families left dependent by the death or disability of a veteran, helping keep the home together until a permanent means of support can be found, keeping the children in school and preventing the father's patriotic sacrifices from handicapping their development.

In their joint child welfare program last year, the Legion and Auxiliary brought aid to 395,342 children of veterans. A total of $1,968,632.28 from Legion and Auxiliary resources was expended in this program. Much of this money was made up of the dimes, quarters and dollars placed in the contribution boxes on Poppy Day.

"Hardships and exposure of war service are striking down many of our veterans in the prime of life". "Almost every veteran now dying or becoming disabled has dependent children. Unless he has established legally that he was disabled in the war, the government can do nothing for his family. The Auxiliary is determined that no children shall be left in need because their fathers served the country, and with the help of the patriotic citizens who wear poppies on Poppy Day, we are able to carry out this determination."

PETITION FOR PARDON

Grenada, Miss., May 2, 1940.

To Your Excellency,
Governor Paul B. Johnson,
Jackson, Mississippi:

We, the undersigned citizens of Grenada County, respectfully petition your Excellency to grant a complete pardon to Dudley Greenlee, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Grenada County, in September Special Term, 1939, on a charge of Burglary to serve a term of two years in the State Penitentiary; we are advised that there was no direct testimony connecting Greenlee with the charge and that none of the purported stolen property was found in or traced to the possession of the said Dudley Greenlee; and that he was convicted on a purported confession which we are advised he denies he has made. We feel that this conviction is a miscarriage of justice and that Dudley Greenlee is entitled to a pardon because of a grave doubt of his guilt; and we respectfully ask your Excellency to grant him a full and complete pardon.

Respectfully submitted,
DUDLEY GREENLEE,
(5-9,16,23,30,6,13 165wp) and others.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND FOR PARTITION

L. L. Martin, et al
vs. No. 5196
A. C. Martin, et al

By virtue of the provision of a decree of the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, rendered on the 15th day of April 1940, the undersigned, as commissioner of the Court in said cause, will on the 25th day of May 1940, at the Court House in the City of Grenada, in Grenada County, Mississippi, within legal hours, in front of the court house door, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder, 25 percent to be paid on the day of sale and the residue of the purchase price to be paid upon confirmation of sale by the Chancellor, in vacation, at a hearing on the report of such sale before him on the 1st day of June 1940, at his office in Holly Springs, Mississippi, the following described real property, to-wit:

Lot No. 16, Block 2, in the North Ward, in the town of Holcomb, Grenada County, Mississippi.

The said Lot is sold for the purpose of partitioning among the owners in accordance with said decree; title to same is believed to be good, but I convey only such title as is vested in me as said commissioner.

This the 29th day of April 1940.

J. P. PRESSGROVE,
(5-2,9,16,23 220) Clerk-Commissioner

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Camp Tallaha to Open For Camp June 1st

Camp Tallaha, the Boy Scout Camp of the Delta Area Council, will open June 6th, and will run for six consecutive weeks according to announcement from local Scout leaders.

Chief Splashing Water, a full blooded Kickapoo Indian, who is an expert in Indian dancing, beadwork, athletics and Indian songs will be one of the features of the camp program. This Indian comes from Bacone College in Oklahoma and will add a great deal to the enjoyment of all the campers.

Scout Executive Barney Norris has announced that J. D. Rice, Assistant Executive, will serve as Camp Director. This will be Mr. Rice's fifth year as director at Tallaha. Other members of the staff include: J. W. Yates, Scoutmaster Troop 10, Cleveland; Charles Longino, Clarksdale; Charles Barber, Cleveland; Totsy Stewart, Charleston; Bill Ballard, Leland and Bill Kerr, Scoutmaster Troop 27, Sumner. J. L. Golsan, Field Scout Executive, will spend part of the time in camp to give instructions in diving.

Mr. Flautt has announced that several new features will be added to the camp program this year which will include four Kayaks for use in the pool. Camp applications are being mailed out now to Scoutmasters throughout the twelve Delta counties. Scouts are urged to send in their applications early in order that a place may be reserved for the period they would like to attend.

LEGION TO CELEBATE MEMORIAL DAY

On May 30th, a Memorial Day service will be held by Grenada Post No. 35 of The American Legion, assisted by members of the local Legion Auxiliary, the Sons of the Legion, Boy Scouts, National Guard and the school children.

The parade will assemble at the school building and follow a line of march led by the Grenada High School Band to the front of the American Legion Hall, located over Western Auto Supply Store, when the remainder of the program will be given.

Further details will appear later.

J. L. ODOM,
Post Commander

BEAT ONE ELECTS DELEGATES

At the meeting of the Democrats of Beat One, held at ten a. m. Tuesday, the following were elected to be the delegates to the county convention to be held on the 28th in the county court house in Grenada: John Pressgrove, B. C. Adams, Hurd Horton, Ed Underwood, Jack Sanderson, E. C. Neelly, Marshall Perry, S. C. Mims, Jr., C. E. Coleman and W. W. Whitaker.

W. W. WHITAKER, Secty.

I. O. Pearson must have got his days mixed up as he came to town Friday. Anyway, we were able to have eggs for breakfast Saturday for a change, as he is egging out his daughter's subscription.

First Grade Flower Show

The pupils in the First Grade under the able direction of Miss Mabel Walker, teacher, staged a flower show in their room on Wednesday, May 15. The arrangement was copied from the Grenada Garden Club Show and many entries were attractively arranged.

The judges used the blue, red and white ribbons to mark the different classes.

The following awards were made:

Bobby Woodham, 1st Sweet Peas.
Carl Jordan, 2nd Roses.
Bobby Woodham, Sweet Peas.
Donna Jean Sharp, Tied for 3rd place.

B. DIVISION

Irvin Johnson, Jr., 1st Pansies; Bobbie Potcete, 2nd Pansies; Ann Robinson, 3rd Pansies.

C. DIVISION

Bobby Blaylock, 1st Mixed Arrangement; Irvin Johnson, Jr., 2nd Mixed Arrangement; Lowrey Jones, 3rd Mixed Arrangement.

D. DIVISION

Ethel Kilgore, 1st, Wild Flowers, Honeysuckle; Bryant Harbin, 2nd, Wild Flowers, Honeysuckle; Lamar Perry, 3rd, Wild Flowers, Honeysuckle.

Judges were: Mesdames Eli Whitaker and Sam Simmons, Sr., president of Grenada Garden Club. These ladies were presented a lovely corsage of rosebuds and baby breath.

Mrs. S. L. Calhoun, who assisted with arrangements, was presented a corsage.

In just another week, you will have to make out bills again. Have you enough billheads and statements? If not, do not wait until sundown on the 31st.

Whiskey, except scocat on the Peavine, was pretty scarce in Grenada last week. The scocatters are hard to find.

Please observe the stop lights and avoid trouble with the law.

Uncle Tommie and Aunt Ruthie have been on double duty recently, looking after the restaurant and a sick boy in the hospital.

This is being written Sunday, far too early to say anything about the war. It can be said, however, that Britain has lost many a battle, but has never lost a war.

Two more years of bootleggery for Mississippi, maybe four, unless Governor Johnson changes his mind.

Grenada was closed pretty right Sunday. Those who did not want to observe Sunday closing were pursuing the [illegible] and decorous life while it was cold [illegible]

John Pressgrove lived a very [illegible] was visiting her folks in Batesville. [illegible] last week, as was to be expected.

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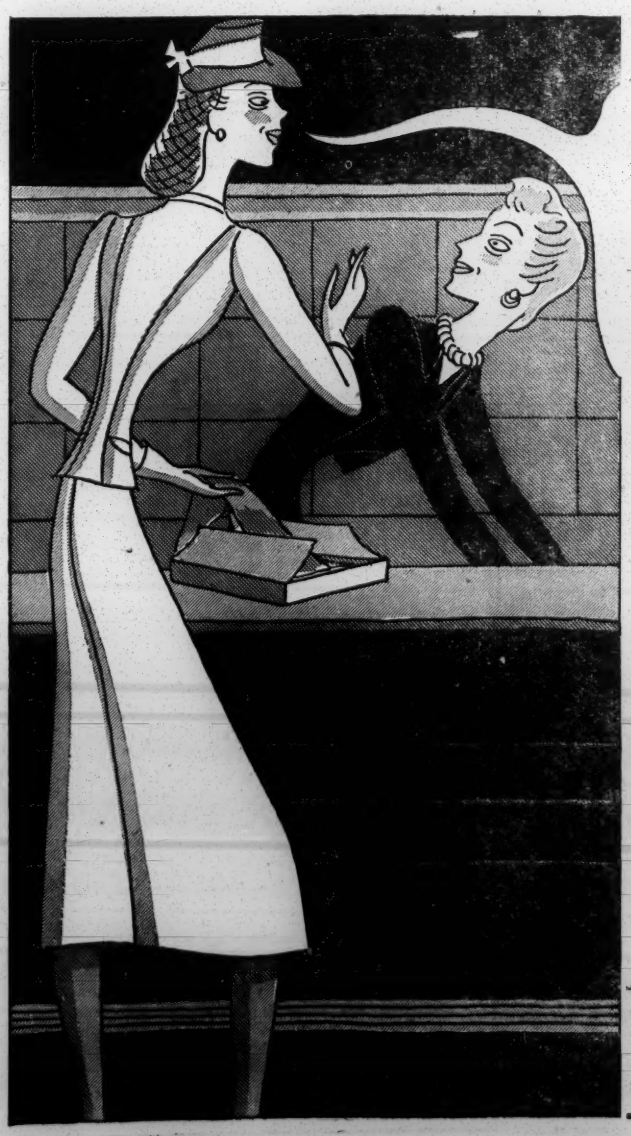

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THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1940

The Bulldog

While we might be accused of immodesty for praising our own daughter, we believe the justice of the situation demands that we, who know, should give justice where justice is due, even to our own child.

The Bulldog, student publication of the Grenada High School, has been primarily the "child" of our child, Dorothy Whitaker, who is being graduated with honors this week.

Due credit should be given to the other contributors to this feature, but it has been Dorothy who, oftentimes alone, composed, and copied on the typewriter the splendid material that has filled the "Bulldog" during the current term.

Four of the family write for this newspaper, the editor, the old lady, Whyte, Jr., and Dorothy. Dorothy is the best speller, Dorothy punctuates more nearly perfectly, Dorothy uses better English, Dorothy has greatest clarity of expression.

If this be treason (or immodesty), the reader will have to make the most of it.

Doctor's Day

Senator Bilbo has introduced a resolution to Congress which, if passed, will designate June 22 as Doctors' Day which will honor the members of that specific profession.

In support of this resolution Senator Bilbo made a masterful address and paid a fine tribute to the members of this profession. Lacking space to publish the entire address, we take the liberty of publishing one outstanding paragraph, devoted to the "family doctor", as follows:

> I presume there is not one of you in this presence today who does not cherish the memory of a "family doctor". I presume there is not one of you who can not even now visualize the faithful, efficient doctor at the bedside of a loved one in the throes of grave illness and agony, in the very shadow of death itself, with that eternal sleep from which no man returneth approaching ever closer. I say with impunity, I believe, there is not one among you who has not abundant incentive to invoke a tribute to some fine minister of healing who with ingenious mind and strong but tender hands has assuaged the pain, rebuked the fever and prolonged the life of some one dear to you. Or, having done all that he could without avail against Nature's inexorable law of death, he remains there even unto the last—a bulwark of comfort and counsel to the sorrowing ones. Ah, yes, my colleagues, I think you know the picture I am so feebly endeavoring to depict. The faithful, fearless doctor—humanity's noblest benefactor!

A Good Sign For Better Times

When scores of busy men and women abandon their own work to come to the trial of alleged whiskey-sellers and thereby give moral support to the arresting officers as well as to the judical officers who by and large, want to do their full duty, as happened in Grenada Monday, there is real hope that open saloons are on their way out in this community.

A word of warning is timely. This huge whiskey business grew up in this community thru many years, and it can not be eradicated by just ONE appearance of these people at ONE trial. Sustained effort is necessary. These people or other individual imbued with the same desire to "back up the law" must attend all trials. Sporadic support to the "law" will mean little in the way of permanent improvement in conditions.

If the people interested in the eradication of whiskey from this community will give SUSTAINED support to the arresting officers and to those charged with the duty of trying alleged offenders of the liquor laws, Grenada will get somewhere.

There is no force more powerful than outraged public opinion. If the people present at the trial and those who think as that group thinks will give sussained support to the idea of getting liquor out of Grenada and keeping it out, Grenada will become a dry town.

Cougratulations, Bulldogs

By defeating the fast Charleston nine in the second of a series of three games last Friday, the Grenada Bulldogs became the champions of the North Central District, and are receiving the profuse congratulations due such a formidable team.

By facing and defeating their traditional rivals, the Freestaters, on the latter's home grounds, they added additional laurels to their souvenirs. Coached by Mr. Hathorn, and captained by Dale Harper, this team will go down in the annals of G. H. S. as one of its best teams.

May we add our congratulations.

The W. P. A. In Grenada County

Aside from the fact that the workers in the W. P. A. organization in Grenada county are doing much worthwhile work, the pay roll released by this organization, amounting to approximately $30,000 per month, is a very considerable factor in the continued growth and prosperity of this community.

This week the public is being invited to inspect the projects undertaken and being executed by the Professional and Service Division of the W. P. A., and you have two days more, that is Friday and Saturday, to accept this invitation.

Briefly, the W. P. A.'s projects are divided into two classes, construction and professional service. In the former class, one may but travel thru Grenada County to see the many miles of gravel roads that have replaced the old earthen roads. In the city of Grenada, this construction department has built the most substantial pavements ever built in the city, and is now engaged on another project which, when completed, will make Grenada for practical purposes an all-paved city. Substantial improvements, including a much needed vault for the records of the chancery clerk, are being made at the county court house. The fine new school at Holcomb, another one at Gore Springs, the community house, the cold storage war house and the agricultural building, all in Grenada, are "children" of the W. P. A. These are a few of the outstanding achievements which come hurriedly to our mind.

In the professional group we find many varied projects which not only do valuable work, but also, and this is important, provide useful employment to those physically unfitted for hard manual work, yet educationally equipped to perform less arduous, but no less important work. In this group we find the Library project which, thru the wide distribution of good books, provides to the people opportunities, otherwise not procurable, to obtain the inspiration that comes from reading. The School Lunch project provides wholesome hot lunches to children, many of whom would either be lunchless or would have to seek to nourish their already ill-nourished bodies with cold, unpalatable lunches. The Sewing Room project, provides useful employment to the poor widows, and other women who, otherwise, would either be drudges in a relative's home, or an unwelcome guest in such a home. This project also manufactures useful articles for those even less fortunate than the workers. The Commodity projects distributes food and clothing from the Surplus Commodity Division of the government. The Forest and Parks project, a new one, has great potentialities for good, for the restoration of forests upon land fitted for nothing else is a problem of national importance. The Writers Project, giving employment to those capable of doing this work, will incorporate into a permanent record the history of this, and of every other community, and will in the end furnish irreplacible data for the future. The Basic City Survey is perhaps one of the most worthwhile from the standpoint of civic growth, as this survey will furnish the city government a plan for the future growth of this city and should save thousands of dollars in the future. The Adult Education project, as it names implies, seeks to remove the handicap of youth from the aged, and teach the aged, or middle aged people the rudiments of the three "R"s, if nothing else. The Graves Registration project contemplates the formation of a complete record of the burial places of all former veterans.

As stated in this newspaper many times, the era of leaf raking, chunck-toting, weed-cutting, this era is definitely over in the W. P. A. The W. P. A. does many worthwhile things for the community betterment, and its payroll is a most important one in this community.

Should the government withdraw its payroll for one WEEK, EVERYONE would feel it keenly. Goods would move sluggishly. There would be few dimes for banks to collect on government checks. Advertising would check up, then cease. Folks would quit paying subscriptions. Then the newspaper would begin bellowing for the return of the government checks.

It is idle to moralize on the W. P. A. and on the other phases of the New Deal. It is idle to visualize what they are leading to. It is idle to speculate upon where this country would be, should the New Deal have died before birth. Suffice to say, we have the New Deal and its alphabetical children, and we have no feasible plan for their abandonment. These organizations are apparently permanent parts of our government. This writer, in an humble way, once was a most severe critic of the "R. F. C", etc., but long since realized that he was as a voice crying in the wilderness, and stopped criticising, for, in the last analysis, a critic should have some substitute to offer, and we had none and have none. Long since, we have become reconciled to riding on with the New Deal, in all its phases, being impotent to stop it, and unable to offer a substitute.

Suffice to say the W. P. A. in Grenada county is doing useful work, at reasonable cost, and is providing work to many who otherwise might be dependent upon some form of dole. On the rolls are many individuals who, thru misfortunate and thru other reasons beyond their control, fell upon bad economic ways, and are now making their own way in respectable, honest, useful work. And who can say that this maintenance of the morale of many good people is not worthwhile?

Take It Easy

The situation, due to the imminence of war preparations in this country, is becoming more and more tense as the days pass.

It therefore behooves all foreign-born people, and [illegible] who have not become citizens of this [illegible] to speak gently and walk quietly.

To show what perserverance and courage can do, take a look at Bennie Ward of Holcomb. He overcame the lack of one arm, surmounted the handicap of lack of funds, worked his way thru Mississippi State College, is being graduated with honors, and is one of seven graduates to gain entrance into the Hall of Fame.

Plant Food Crops

Let not the temporary precipitate fall in prices of grains fool you away from your own fundamental problem of providing ample food for yourself, insofar as you are able to do so.

Those who remember 1914 can remember how wheat, cotton and all other agricultural products took terrible whippings in the markets. They can also remember how these prices quickly began to soar, as the first shock of the war passed and the grim struggle began—a struggle that demanded food and munitions in ever-increasing quantites.

While it looks bad for the Allies at this writing, and looks as if there may be a quick conclusion to the struggles, we adhere to the old adage that England loses many battles but loses no wars, that England always wins the last battle. It is, therefore, our belief that the war will be a protracted one, and that requirements for food will exhaust present surplusses and tax the national food production capacity, and that requirements for food will exhaust present surpluses and tax exhaust the present surplus of cotton and tax the productive capacity of this nation.

Irrespective of the outcome of the war, it behooves each farmer to provide for his own needs and the needs of those dependent upon him, and there is ample time to plant more food and feed crops.

Our Neutrality Is Waning Fast

Frankly, the neutrality that characterized our feelings and our published utterances during the last few months is waning fast.

Realizing beleately that the Allies are fighting battles to preserve the form of government that we believe in and that we love, we now cast our lot with the Allies.

If the Allies lose, our nation, if not attacked quickly, must become highly militarized, as France has been for many generations.

If the Allies lose, our nation will have to maintain a huge standing army; it must inaugurate a program of universal military service; it must allocate unfold billions annually to the creation and maintenance of a huge military machine.

Congress, in our opinion, should immediately repeal all laws which tend to restrict in any way the giving of help, financial and otherwise, to the Allies.

Me and Mike.

Poor Mississippi.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND

By virtue of a certain decree of the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, on the 18th day of April, 1940, at the April 1940 Term of said court, in cause number 5318, entitled Ardella Britt, et al Vs Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, et al, the undersigned commissioner in accordance with the aforesaid decree will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction for cash between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M. on the 27th day of May 1940, at the east door of the court house in said county, the following property located in Grenada County, Mississippi, to-wit:

43 1-3 acres particularly described and bounded as follows:

33 1-3 acres in the northwest quarter of section 32, T. 22, R. 5 E. bounded as follows: beginning at a stake which stands on the section line due east from the northwest corner of S. 32, T. 22, R. 5 E., and 53 poles and 9 links from said corner, thence from said stake as a beginning point running east 53 poles and 9 links to a point, thence south 106 poles, thence west 53 poles and 9 links, thence north 106 poles to point of beginning; also ten acres, in the south half of the southeast quarter of Section 31, Township 22, Range 5 East, bounded as follows: beginning at a point 20 poles west of the southeast corner of Section 31, and running thence West 20 poles, thence north 80 poles, thence east 20 poles, thence south 80 poles, to the point of beginning.

Witness my signature, this the 1st day of May, 1940.

J. P. PRESSGROVE,
Commissioner

5-2, 9, 16, 23—280w

George Lickfold felt the urge to renew, and did.

Murphree-Johnson-Bilbo vs. Harrison-Conner-White is the line-up in Mississippi.

We are not insensible to the implied compliments given us in the immediate past by our esteemed contemporary, the Lexington Advertiser, by the reproduction therein of a number of extracts from the Beale Street Bull.

The "train" now has to take on additional fuel to make a "run".

Col. Kahn, a recent visitor, was highly elated at the news that I gave him that our man Mike was still alive.

Dear Squire Carver: Do not forget what I wrote you recently.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND BY RECEIVER

The State of Mississippi,
Grenada County.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the terms of a certain decree rendered by the Chancery Court at Coffeeville, Mississippi, at the April term, 1940, in cause No. 2640 on the docket of the said court, cause styled, In The Matter of The Receivership of Coffeeville Bank, E. C. Coleman, Receiver, I will at the north door of the courthouse in the town of Pittsboro, Mississippi, within legal hours on Saturday, the 25th day of May, 1940, sell at public outcry for cash the following described land in the County of Grenada and State of Mississippi, that is,

The NE¼ of Section 36, Township 23, Range 7 East. Also the NW¼ of Section 31, Township 23, Range 8 East, Calhoun County, Miss.

It is distinctly stated that the sale of this property shall be submitted to the Chancery Court of the First District of Yalobusha County for confirmation or rejection.

Witness my hand, this the 27th day of April, 1940.

E. C. COLEMAN,
(5-2,9,16,23 172w) Receiver

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"STUDIO RECITAL"

On Thursday evening of last week, Mrs. L. C. Proby presented her seventeen pupils in recital at her home. On this occasion, the handsome home was decorated with lovely flowers . The following program was given, much to the delight of all who attended:

Stars ..... Bilbro
Mattie Lou Black
Military March ..... Engelmann
Alton Moss
On Skates ..... Ketterer
Juel Smith
In Uniform ..... Lamont
Marguerite Goss
Sparkling Brook ..... Lamont
Emagene Geeslin
Dutch Dance ..... Burgmuller
Josephine Barranco
June Caprice ..... King
Marguerite Stanley - Marguerite Goss
Bird Calls ..... Wright
Yellow Butterflies ..... Loeb-Evans
Ruth Talbert
Polka De Concert ..... Peabody
Mrs. Proby - Betsy Ann Smith
Recollections of Johann Strauss
Arr. Thompson
Poupee Volsonte ..... Poldini
Marguerite Stanley

Punch, sandwiches, mints were served guests after the program.

ENTERTAINS TEACHERS

Mrs. John Ben Perry, Jr., and daughter, Mary Jane, entertained graciously on Thursday at six o'clock with a barbecue supper on the lawn of their home, honoring those who taught Mary Jane this year, including the music teachers and her instructors for next year.

Supper was prepared for twelve guests.

Mrs. J. N. Estes, of Tie Plant, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joe Stevens in Jackson this week. During her absence from home Carolyn Estes, her sweet little daughter is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Stanley Brown in Grenada.

ANDERSON-JONES MOORE-JONES

Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, of Tillatobia, announce the marriage of their twin daughters, Miss Sydney Jones to Mr. Robert Neal Anderson, Miss Anthony Jones to Mr. Ralph Moore, of Duck Hill.

The double ceremony was performed in the city of Jackson Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, May 19, 1940.

The two brides are charming young ladies with many friends in social and business circles of Grenada. Their devotion to each other always caused them to remain together. Until the day of their marriage they were employed in Fatherree's Drug Store in Grenada.

Mr. Anderson, a native of Aberdeen is manager of Kroger's Store in Grenada.

Mr. Moore, a native of Duck Hill, is employed as mail carrier at that town.

To these happy young people this paper joins other friends in best wishes for happiness in their life together.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Proby are happy to have their daughter, Susan at home after a school term spent at Copia-Lincoln. She returned Saturday.

Mrs. H. S. McClesky, of Oklahoma City, Okla., spent the past week-end here with her brother, Mr. L. C. Proby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Morgan, of Greenwood, arrived at the home of their daughter, Mrs. L. G. Roberts on Wednesday for a visit.

Mrs. J. B. Perry, Jr., and daughter, Mary Jane, spent last Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cato in Webb.

Mrs. Hubert Acre, of Malden, Mo., and Mrs. Christine Trusty, of Kennett, Mo., are guests this week in the homes of their brothers, Messrs. Earl and Harry Burkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clements spent Saturday in Memphis. They went especially to see the Cotton Carnival parade.

Mrs. J. B. Perry, Sr., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Perry, Jr., on a trip to New Orleans recently.

Mrs. E. L. Bass, Mrs. F. S. Hill and son, Francis, spent Monday in Memphis.

FOUR YEARS OLD YESTERDAY

W. A. HAYWARD, JR.

This young fellow, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hayward of Kirkman, was four years old yesterday, having been born on May 22, 1936. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McCormick and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hayward.

McCASLIN-GRIFFIN

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Griffin of 2059 East McLemore announce the engagement and approaching marriage on June 22, 1940 of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Estelle Griffin to William Young McCaslin, of Grenada, Miss., son of Mrs. A. J. McCaslin and the late Mr. McCaslin.

The above announcement is from Sunday's edition of the Commercial Appeal.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Matthews were hosts at dinner Sunday evening to Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Selah, of Memphis, where Dr. Selah is pastor of St. John's Methodist Church. Dr. Shelah preached the commencement sermon.

The Lions Club of Grenada was represented by the following members and wives, at their convention held at Beuna Vista Hotel, Biloxi this week. Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Liles, Mr. and Mrs. Orman Kimbrough, Mr. George Criss, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Knox Pierce and daughter, Arline, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Neely. They are all expected home Thursday afternoon.

Miss Kathryn Jones, of Jackson, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jones the past week-end.

Mrs. Gertrude Marders was called to the bedside of her foster mother, Mrs. Gordon, in Oakland Thursday afternoon. She returned home Saturday evening, reporting Mrs. Gordon improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Allison visited the Sardis dam Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nichols of Brinkley, Ark., is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. Orman Kimbrough.

Mrs. Jay Gore and Jay, Jr., Lillian York and Bobbie Townes were listed among those attending the Cotton Carnival parade in Memphis on last Saturday.

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NOTICE

The Board of Trustees of Grenada City Schools will receive bids for the construction of an addition to the Primary Building. Plans and Specifications are available at the office of the Superintendent of City Schools, The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. N. RAYBURN, Pres. of Board
B. J. ANDERSON, Secretary
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WEDNESDAY CLUB

Mrs. John Ben Perry, Jr., entertained beautifully at her home Wednesday afternoon when members of the bridge club assembled for games at three o'clock.

Seated at two tables were Mesdames Wick Ransom, George Garner, E. L. Bass, Arthur Meredith, Estes Pleasants, Charlie Kosman, John Bradley, and Fred Clements. Mrs. Clements was the only non-member guest present.

As soon as all had arrived, the hostess served a delectable salad course.

Games were enjoyed until late afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. LaGrone, of Greenville, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Trusty on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Klyman, formerly of Henning, Tenn., but now of Itta Bena, was the guest of her brother, Harry Greenfield, a short while Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Paschal and little daughter Sandra: their mother, Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. Etta Dudley motored to Memphis Saturday. Mrs. Dudley remained and returned with Mrs. H. B. Spain on Monday.

AUXILIARIES

W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Chuch met Monday at 3 o'clock, at the church.

Thirty-one members were present for this, the regular program meeting for May. Mrs. Waterman, president, opened the meeting and presided during the business session.

The program was opened by members singing "Jesus Calls."

Mrs. Post presented the first discussion, followed by another subject discussed by Mrs. Edwards "The Life and Work of Mrs. Luke Johnson", who was a pioneer in race relationship.

Mrs. Carrie Clanton directed the meditation period. Meeting closed by saying the Lord's prayer.

All Saints Episcopal

The Auxiliary of All Saints met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. T. Gerard. A good attendance was recorded.

The devotional, part of which was devoted to prayers for peace and those engaged in war, was led by Mrs. Gerard. Mrs. Whitaker, president, presided during business session. Our Monday meetings will be at 4 o'clock instead of 3:30 hereafter.

The meeting closed by all saying the benediction in unison.

Presbyterian

The three circles of the auxiliary met in the church, each circle meeting in different rooms. The leaders for the afternoon's program were assisted by one of the members conducting a beautifully presented devotional.

The circle meeting in which Mrs. Harry Adams presided, Mrs. Cowles Horton led the devotional.

Baptist W. M. U.

The Baptist Women's Missionary Union met at the Methodist Church Monday with a large attendance. Mrs. John Rundle took charge of the meeting, shortly after the president, Mrs. E. R. Green, called the meeting to order.

The program consisted of questions and answers based on daily Bible readings for the past month.

Mrs. J. W. Shaw, of Memphis, is the guest of relatives in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Richardson and family this week.

Mrs. Susie Horton and Mrs. Hester visited a sister of Mrs. Horton's Mrs. Charlie York in Memphis during the Cotton Carnival.

HOUSE PARTY

The lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Staton was the scene the past week-end of a house party honoring their niece, Miss Evelyn King of Water Valley.

Besides the honoree, Miss King, the guests were, Misses Ann Wagner and Charlotte Boggs, of Water Valley, Miss Evelyn Etheridge, of Charleston and Lucile Brunson, of Arcola.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Staton entertained her guests with a rook party. Two tables of players spent a delightful afternoon at games. Refreshments were served in the late afternoon and dainty prizes awarded. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wagner brought the young ladies from Water Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Boggs came for them, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Martha Johnsey, of Florence, Ala., visited Mrs. A. A. Tedmon on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bevell and son Teddy, spent Sunday and Monday in Memphis.

Mrs. Arthur Kettle and granddaughter, Mary Alice Brewer visited Mrs. Kettle's sister, Mrs. H. C. Kennedy in Canton last week. Mr. Kettle spent the week in Durant with their daughter, Mrs. Sam Melton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hey Fox, of Grenada, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fox in Charleston.

Mesdames Lynn Hirsch, Gertrude Hudson Turner and G. W. Butler motored to Water Valley, their former home, Sunday afternoon.

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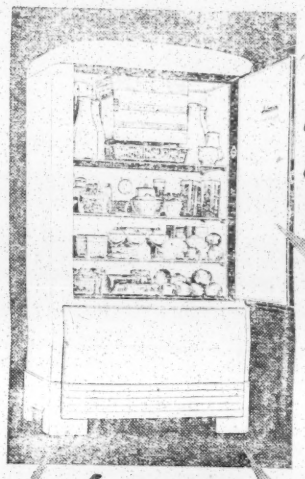

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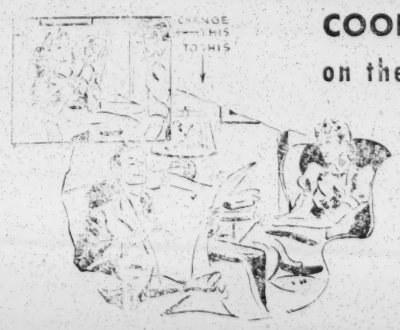

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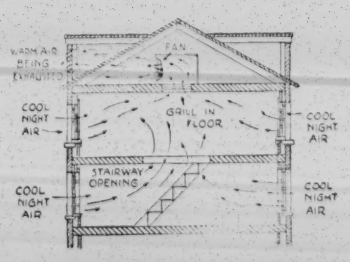

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Commencement Sermon Program

A processional played by Miss Donaldson announced and accompanied the seniors as they marched single file down the aisle in the high school auditorium to hear an inspiring baccalaureate sermon by the Rev. Mr. W. B. Selah, of St. John's Methodist Church in Memphis.

The glee club, under the direction of Miss Donaldson, led the audience in singing "Come Thou Almighty King". Rev. Glen Wiley said the Invocation, Dick Rule sang a tenor solo, "The Earth is the Lord's". The glee club sang Gounod's anthem "Praise Ye the Father". Rev. Selah then delivered a sermon.

He took his text from these words: "Whatsoever things are good, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are of good report, think on these things." His talk was based on the analogy between the sunsets and puddles of life and the sordidness and loveliness of life.

The congregation then sang "Day is Dying in the West".

A benediction pronounced by Rev. T. B. Thrower closed the service.

The Senior Class members, clad in conventional caps and gowns, then walked out in show precessional.

Class Will

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Upon behalf of my client, the class of 1940, of Grenada High School, of the city of Grenada, State of Mississippi, I have called you together upon this solemn occasion to listen to her last will and testament and to receive from her dying hand the few gifts she has to bestow in her last moments.

Listen, then, one and all, while I read the document as duly drawn up and sworn to:

We, the Class of 1940, in forty individual parts, being about to pass out of this sphere of education, having learned much and worked diligently, do make and publish this, our last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills or promises by us at any time heretofore made, or mayhap, carelessly spoken, one to the other, as the thoughtless wish of an idle hour.

As to such estate as it has pleased the Fates and our own strong hands and brains to win for us, we do dispose of the same as follows:

ITEM: We give and bequeath to the dear faculty, our instructors in the wisdom of all ages, a good rest. No more will they be awake at night worrying ceaselessly over our shortcomings. They have all done their duty, and verily now they shall have their well-earned reward.

ITEM: To our beloved superintendent, Prof. John Rundle, we leave many pleasant memories of our diligence and earnestness in obtaining an education and of our usual ability and willingness to learn.

ITEM: We bequeath to the Junior Class our astounding intellect and wondrous energetic qualities which unfortunately they have not. It is our sincere hope that the Junior girls will throughout their Senior year have the presence of mind to guide the Junior boys in the paths of righteousness.

ITEM: As separate and distinct parts we bequeath the following:

1. Vivian Anderson gives his great wisdom to Thomas ...

2. Bryan Baker leaves to Charles Kenwright, who sadly needs it, his tremendous weight.

3. To Chester Irby, Edgar Branson, the class sissy, bequeaths his girlish face and form.

4. Charles Calloway, class tall man, leaves said office to little Bobby Weir.

5. William Gammon leaves his position of errand-runner to anyone who wants it.

6. Jack Hudson, the essence of timidity, leaves his shy manner to Brooker Thrower.

7. Willard C. Smith, Governor of Little Texas, leaves his great administrative ability to John Keeton.

8. Posey Gant, funny man from way back, bequeaths his comedy to Thomas Houston.

9. Francis Hill leaves his astonishing knack of getting into jams to Billy Semmes.

10. Kenneth Nail, midget, bequeaths his place to W. T. Hill.

11. Dick Rule's excellent personality and way with the women goes to Tom Hardy.

12. D. M. Taylor, long-termer, leaves his bulldog tenacity to Ed McCormick.

13. Walter Trussell, the George Raft of Grenada Hi, leaves "that look that look that gets 'em" to Frank Marascalco.

14. William Winter, poor chap, leaves his good intentions but inability to learn to William Spears.

15. Rice York leaves to E. R. Smith his great ability as a corkball pitcher.

16. Charline Chapius leaves his old-maidish manners to Sue Rowell.

17. Elizabeth Dogan, noted for her graceful posture while saying memory work, wills her ease and grace to E. R. Smith.

18. To Kathleen Nail Minerva Whitaker wills the task of coaching delinquents in English.

19. Max Juchheim leaves to Dale Harper the privilege of parking on the girls' stairway.

The Class Vision

They told me I must prophesy,
But I knew not what to do,
For I was not born a prophet,
Any more than one of you.

I had spent the day in study,
And thinking, hard and deep,
So now, all worn and weary,
I lay me down and fell asleep.

I had lain there but a moment,
In that slumber, calm and sweet,
When I rose, refreshed and
strengthened,
And stepped out upon the street.

But I very soon discovered
That I was in a strange place,
For I saw not one known figure
Nor an old familiar face.

I was in a mammoth city,
By the side of which I knew
That New York, the nation's glory,
Would stand but a feeble show.

Great skyscrapers all about me,
Aeroplanes through the air,
Wonders far beyond conception,
Here, there and everywhere.

I could scarce believe my senses
When I saw the airship line Grenada
While the same gleamed from each sign

And my eyes were opened wider
Than they'd ever been before
When I saw a slip of paper
Dated 1954.

While I puzzled o'er the problem,
Staring round with open eyes,
Looking for someone to question
Of this marvelous surprise,

I beheld near me a lady,
Coming with footsteps slow,
I thought I would accost her
And learn what I wished to know.

And as she came to be nearer,
I thought I had seen that face
Somewhere else, yet could not put it
In exactly its right place.

But at last she stood before me,
And all wonder vanished quite,
'Twas my old chum, Margie Collins
And I met her with delight.

It was strange that I should know her,
For the change in her was great.
She was very tall and slender,
While she moved with queenly state.

She seemed quite surprised to see me,
Said I had been long away,
And gave me an invitation
To remain with her that day.

Her kind offer I accepted,
And she hailed a flying car,
Which we boarded, skimming swiftly
Through the ether, fast and far.

I watched the conductor closely—
'Twas a lady, short and stout,
Fully able to assist
Passengers step in or out.

As she took my fare she knew me,
And stood pointing out strange sights
Vera Payne thus had proven
Her belief in Woman's Rights.

On the car a dude was sitting,
Toying with a poodle small—
Why, 'twas Walter Trussell!
I scarcely would have known
the man at all.

Soon we flitted past a corner
That looked like old times to me,
For it was the well-known corner
Where our high school used to be.

Now the place had changed to show
A factory, twenty stories high,
And I noticed a small fish stand
There, as we were passing by.

And behind the greasy counter
Stood a man I knew at sight,
Yes, for it was Shyster Hill,
Shouting "Fish," with all his might

I looked out at him in wonder,
For whoever would have thought
That our old-time brilliant Francis
Could to such a task be brought.

But the whole day brought surprises;
Mildred Thomas was dancing on the
stage;
Hilda was an opera singer;
Willard a preacher, quite the rage.
Bryan a soldier; Onie an author;
Anita had grown so very stout,
Anti-Fat was all she would eat.

Bye and bye we reached the home
Where Austine lived—her husband
too
But he was a traveling salesman,
So I didn't find out who.

I was very tired and sleepy,
So I felt that it was best
To withdraw myself a little
For an hour or two of rest.

I slept long and very soundly,
And judge to my surprise,
When again, after my slumber,
I opened my drowsy eyes,

I found myself in the cottage
I had lived in long ago.
Ere I started out that morning,
On that curious quest to go.

I sprang up and sought the window,
Yes, it was the same old town,
That, in what seemed years ago,
I had wearily lain down.

But the dream had been so life-like,
That e'en yet I could not feel
That the vision I had witnessed
Could be otherwise than real.

So you see, dear friends and
classmates,
That 'twas nothing but a dream
I've been telling, howe'er natural
And real it to you must seem;

But in this old world of wonders,
Dreams have often-times come true,
So, who knows but this, my vision,
May be realized by you?

Note: picture and list of graduating class of 1940 will be found on the front page.

CLASS OFFICERS

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Senior Memorial

For our memorial gift we chose Old Glory—the emblem of all that we hold dear—freedom, democracy, government of the people, by the people, and for the people. As this flag proudly waves, may each one who sees it love it. May he see in it the story of our great free institutions. May he recognize in it the hope of the home as that of the nation.

The second gift from the class of '40, a large oil portrait of Mr. Rundle, is a token of our appreciation of a man who by precept and example has taught the true value of character, those duties that we as citizens owe to our school, our state, and our nation, the vital importance in our loves of those eternal principles of truth, of temperance, of morality, and of patriotism.

When in future years we shall return as visitors to these sacred halls hallowed to us then by memories of our happy, carefree youth, this portrait will still be for us a symbol of one who gave his best for us, a man who made it his practice

"To think without confusion, clearly
To love his fellowman sincerely;
To act from honest motives purely;
To trust in God and Heaven securely."

William Winter's speech of dedication:

As we of this class of 1940 are leaving Grenada High School, we are again emphatically reminded that our educational opportunities here have been vastly superior to those of earlier generations and to those of less progressive communities. We are indeed thankful to the cultured, far-thinking citizens of Grenada who have planned with such broad vision to meet the educational needs of the community. To enable you to picture the progress which has taken place in education in the last twenty years, I shall sketch for you very briefly the improvements which have been made.

The present elementary school building was erected in 1889, and at that time was considered one of the best buildings in the state. For more than three decades it housed the entire student body, but as the increasing enrollment necessitated in the school system, the elect board of trustees set about to make Grenada's school facilities stand high in Mississippi education. Their first act was in selecting as superintendent one of Mississippi's outstanding school men, Mr. John Rundle. Under his capable leadership remarkable progress has been made in the last twenty years in the city school system.

In 1922, this beautiful high school building was erected at a cost of one hundred thousand dollars. In recent years the primary school building, valued at ten thousand dollars, and the gymnasium, valued at fifteen thousand dollars, have been built. All these buildings are adequately equipped and afford the students a much wider field of activity than was previously offered. The high school library has been constantly enlarged until it now contains 2000 volumes valued at more than $5,000.

The enrollment has increased from 500 to 1200, and today eleven buses bring pupils in from the rural districts. As the needs of the students demanded, new departments have been added, more electives have been added to the course of study, and vocational training has become emphasized. One of the greatest advances in the high school curriculum was the addition of the commercial department, which now furnishes excellent office training to numbers of pupils. Another addition in recent years is a very thorough and complete course in home economics. Instruction in expression, declamation, band, and music has become an important part of school work. In short, Grenada High School has advanced far in the last twenty years and today stands near the top in the select All-Southern Association.

We of this class of '40 are proud of our school and its standing. We are thankful to those who have made available to us the many advantages of this splendid school, but we wish to pay special honor this morning to the man who has led in this generous work.

(At this point the picture was unveiled.)

It gives me great pleasure to present on behalf of the members of the Senior Class their memorial gift to Grenada High School. This gift, that we feel sure will be deeply appreciated by every member of Grenada High School, by all former students and graduates, and by future graduating classes here, is a portrait of the man who for more than twenty years as Superintendent of Grenada City Schools has labored so diligently, so faithfully, and so successfully to make Grenada High School one of the greatest and best in the state. We have been taught here not only the mastery of the difficult subjects of the high school course, but we have been taught the precept and example the true meaning of character, those duties that we as citizens owe to our country and to our government, and the vital importance in our lives of those eternal principles of truth, of temperance, of morality, of honesty, and of patriotism. The gift of this portrait is intended as a special tribute of our friendship and respect and of our sincere appreciation of a great teacher, leader, and executive. When in future years we return as visitors to these sacred halls hallowed by the memories of our happy and carefree youth, we shall stand before this portrait and think of the great teacher and gentleman who devoted his life to the training of young Mississippians for useful citizenship.

WILLIAM WINTER

Mr. Rundle:

The material improvements undergone by Grenada High School during your twenty years of superintendence are necessarily of vast importance to us and to those who shall succeed as upon our graduation. Yet, we would not forget the personal attention and wholehearted interest which you have shown each of us since our first day in this school. It is an established fact that the essentials of proper spirit in any organization are the wisdom and justice of its leader.

Mr. Rundle, we know that for twenty years you have both wisely and justly governed the affairs of Grenada High School; that your chief aim has been to guide the individual in the ways of righteous living and to fit him for the walk in life best suited to him. As an aid in the building of character you have been invaluable. I am quite sure that I speak for the entire student body and for those who have gone before when I say that when I am out in the world, whether I am a success or an utter failure, I shall never forget or cease to appreciate the work into which you have put your whole heart and which has meant so much to others.

And so, Mr. Rundle, I, in the name of the Senior Class of 1940, present this small token of our abundant appreciation of you.

—FRANCIS HILL

IN APPRECIATION OF OUR SCHOOL

In appreciation of our school, we,
As Seniors about to depart
All laden with a full heart,
Will soon be out and free.
And useful citizens we'll try to be.
For four years have we worked
to this end
In order that we might better lend
our services for the world to see.
Dear school! Can you really,
truly wonder
That we hate to leave you now—
You in whose arms we've all prepared
To brave the heartless world
out younder—
To say in years to come, "We've dared
To live; our heads we'll never bow!"

Giftorian

This, Mr. Trussell, young Walter L.,
Is far to timid to screech or yell,
Since he's noted for speaking in subdued tone.
We give to him this megaphone.
If you'll practice faithfully day by day,
You'll make yourself heard a few feet away.

Allen, Max, and Fred Hill are a domestic crowd.
Of their household arts they feel right proud.
In cooking they really know their stuff;
Of sewing they never do cry "Enerff".
Needle, thimble, and thread to them we give,
That this sewing circle may happy live.

John White and Volner Wilson are weighed down care,
They're ambitious for mops of curly hair.
Use generous doses of this good lotion:
It will curl your hair just to your notion.

This writing pen may you skilfully wield
To become a famous author, Sue Helen Field.

Hilda and Frances, old maids you will surely be;
So twin black cats we give to thee.

Elizabeth Dogan, when you're a housewife,
Use this cookbook if you value your husband's life.

To keep Chapman Roane from looking glum
We give to him a stick of gum.

Of herself a doctor will "Minerva" Whitaker make
And other folk's troubles to herself she'll take.
These medicines, Minerva, that we give to you
Their healing work will surely do.

Of faces free from freckles they daily dream;
So to long John Vickery and Jack Felts we give freckle cream.

This book, Raising Poultry, we give to Marie
In future years it of value may be.

This powder puff is for Elizabeth Brooks.
We hope that it will really improve her looks.

These raisins, Edgar, we give to you,
With our fondest wishes and love quite true,
You may eat them now with easy grace;
Even big mouthfuls won't be out of place.
Chew them, crunch them with hearty joy;
You're free from high school, you lucky boy.

Anita, we give you this big lipstick.
Smear it on generously, plenty thick.

Wilard Caruthers Smith, here's a handsome radio
To rest on your plow as you plow from row to row.

As class secretary Charline's had a hard position; May this candy sweeten her disposition—This receipt book we gladly give you, funny, for getting ads you're really a honey.
Our friend, Fred Hodges is an excellent feller,
But alas he's not a champion speller.
Memorize all these rules, Mr. Hodge,
And then from spelling you'll cease to dodge.

In this book, Little Kettle, by recordcording each date,
You may avoid through memory a hard blow from fate.
So give careful attention to keeping this book
And at its pages give a daily look.

This style book we present to Richard Rule,
The Masculine fashion plate of our school
Follow directions with greatest care,
And you'll keep yourself chic and debonair.

Teacher's errands gave him no time to stop
But kept Sweet William on the hop.
This cushion soft is our bequest.
To increase the pleasure in his well-earned rest.

When David and Wormack are business men with no time for lunch
On these choice peanuts they may crunch and munch.
Then memory will carry them back with a bang
To high school days and the peanut gang.

Many articles are carried by Baby Payne
Who spills them and picks them up again
This spacious bag will hold them all
And never one to the floor need fall.
Our next senior, D. M. Taylor by name,
By long attendance has won his fame
This medal we give with hearty cheers
For endurance that's lasted so many years.

To Mildred we give this powder and paint,
Guaranteed to make her look like what she "ain't".

After several years on the basketball team
Of a life of rest does Jewel dream.
She may ply this fan all summer long,
As she rocks at ease and croons a song.

This perky ribbon entwined in her curls
Will make Onie outshine the other girls.

To Florence we will
This stenographer's pad,
For as Miss Pierce's
Secretary she's not been bad.

May this cracker stop Charlie
From chewing the rag,
And rest his tongue that hasn't
Learned how to lag.

Margie, dear, when you're a bride,
May wielding this dusteloth give you pride.

Dear Classmate and star athlete,
Buber York,
Raise your batting average by batting this cork.

Bryan Baker doesn't love his hogs;
So to him we give these good fish hooks.

You must bring home the bacon, old married man
So to you we donate this frying pan.

These instructions in penmanship
We give to Kenneth Nail,
And hope that in learning them
He will not fail.

To Austine Kelly we give this veil
That she may go to the Altar fail.

Class History

It is to be seriously doubted that the group of students destined to be Grenada High School's class of 1940 even dreamed of the trials and tribulations, joys and sorrows they would experience for twelve years when they began their scholastic career back in September, 1928. However, before that first term was over they had become considerably hardened to cloak room discipline and such.

The first two years of our schooling were spent in the new Primary Building on College Street under the supervision of Miss Lizzie Horn, superintendent of our elementary grades. How we hated to leave the pretty primary building to go to the third grade in the older elementary building!

The third grade brought stricter discipline and harder number work which we learned to call arithmetic. This is to be remembered as the grade where Shot Hill and Elizabeth Dogan joined us by virtue of making two grades in one term and also as the grade in which Flash Hudson was definitely established as the class hotshot. One of the early romances was that of Rice York and Charline Chapius.

The first tendencies to play the famous game of hookey showed up in the fourth grade, but the vigilance of the teachers, especially Miss Halbert, kept the situation well in check. By this time Wood Winter had taken his long-to-be-held stand at the head of the class.

The fifth grade brought a harder brand of arithmetic along with the fad of stamp collecting. Shot Hill and Bryan Baker have advanced collections which started from these beginnings.

The sixth grade was comparatively uneventful with the exception of our fine school band which was organized that year.

Passing to classes by bells, multiple teachers, clubs, and a study hall were some of the curiosities to which we were introduced in junior high. And who will forget the time Dick Rule shot D. M. Taylor squarely in the face with an ink-filled water pistol which incident took place right in Miss Barrow's study hall? Shot Hill had a finger in the pie, as he has had in all such delicacies since his first day of schooling.

High school is probably the biggest individual step any of us have ever taken. Although for four years we have had to work pretty hard, we have had lots of fun. And now as we're about to leave we can fully realize how much it all has meant to us and how much we'll miss our school when we're gone. We can only work toward that great goal—success—and hope for the best for those behind us.

CLASS DAY PROGRAM

Processional.
Welcome: William Winter.
Class history: David Turner.
Class poem: Margie Collins.
Class prophecy: Florence Gant.
Giftorian: Austine Kelly.
Class will: Fred Hodges.
Presentation of check for flagpole: William Winter.
Acceptance of check: Mr. Rundle.
Humorous advice to the Juniors: William Winter.
Reply by Junior Class president: Thomas Bell.
Farewell: William Winter.

Local and Social Activities

Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, Society Editor, Phones 83 and 747

GRENADA GRADUATING CLASSES ENTERTAINED

The members of the graduating class of Junior High School were entertained graciously Thursday afternoon during a social hour spent on the campus of the Junior High School.

The hostess at this lovely affair were Mesdames C. S. Burt, R. L. Spain, E. L. Merrow and L. E. Noble.

Refreshments of ice cream and individual cakes were served to one hundred and twenty. Ninty-five of this number being graduates. This affair was staged at 2:30 in the afternoon. Mrs. C. S. Burt is class mother.

Miss Jackerlain Sanderson is spending this week in Merigold, with friends.

Mrs. J. L. Acee has returned home from Memphis after spending a week with her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Pipkin and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brody and her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Watson.

Mrs. Stark Willis enjoyed two lovely trips last week. The first part of the week was spent in Jackson, where as a guest of Mrs. Dawson Winter. She attended the State Poetry Society. Later in the week Mrs. Willis attended the Hobby Show at Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Lickfold, Jr., their son, Fred, III, Drew Boone Townes and Miss Bird Sharp spent Sunday in Memphis at the air show. They were guests of Harry Howze, assistant manager of Aviation Dept. of the Standard Oil Co., New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Parks attended the air show in Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. Cook, of Drew, spent Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Staten.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Smith, their daughters, Miss Grace Smith and Mrs. Napier, with her young son, left Tuesday for Indianopolis to attend the funeral of Mrs. Napier's father-in-law, whose sudden death occurred earlier in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Trotter, of Ole Miss, were Grenada visitors Sunday.

Mrs. S. P. Daniels, of Senatobia, is a guest in the home of her brother, Mr. J. H. Murry and family this week.

1940 SENIORS ENTERTAINED

Another refreshment social half hour was planned by Senior Class Mother, Mrs. Whyte Whitaker, honoring members of the graduating class and high school faculty. This affair was staged in the High School Cafeteria at four-thirty in the afternoon.

Mrs. F. T. Gerard, Carolyn Whitaker and Louise Avent assisted with serving.

The class colors of red and white were successfully carried out in strawberry brick cream served in containers lined with paper lace. The white iced cakes were attractively decorated with class '40 written in red colored icing.

Approximately sixty guests were served.

Mrs. Annie Jones has returned home after a few days visit with her son, Mr. C. B. Jones and wife at Cleveland. "Boots" brought her home Tuesday.

Mesdames D. G. Ross and A. W. George left Sunday for Dalton, Ga., to visit in the home of Mrs. Ross' daughter, Mrs. Phil Poovey. Enroute to Georgia they stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sanders at Mississippi State.

Mrs. Horace Spain returned home Monday, after a short visit with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Grider, in Memphis.

Mrs. John McEachin and little son, John, Jr., returned home Sunday from Jackson after a week's visit in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Lipscomb. Mrs. Lipscomb and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dubard, on Mother's Day, and when she returned to Jackson, was accompanied by Mrs. McEachin and son.

Dr. J. S. Sharp was dinner guest of his niece, Mrs. Raymond Shaddix and Mr. Shaddix in Memphis Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sel Jones and daughter, Miss Mary Upshaw Jones left this week (Tuesday) for their home in Oklahoma City after a short visit with their aunt, Mrs. R. B. Townes.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Youngblood are enjoying a motor vacation for a period of ten days or two weeks. Before returning home they expect to visit in Florida. They left Tuesday.

Mrs. C. S. Burt and deaughter, Jean Scott, spent Saturday in Memphis.

WALTERS-BROOKS

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brooks, of Grenada, Miss., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mildred Louise Brooks, of Grenada and Memphis, to Mr. Charles Henry Walters, of Augusta, Ga.

The wedding will be solemnized on June 2nd in St. John's Methodist Church, Augusta, Ga., with the bridegroom's grandfather officiating.

Miss Brooks attended school at All Saints College, Vicksburg and for past eight months has been a member of the continuity staff of Radio Station, W. M. C., Memphis.

Mr. Walters, formally with WGRM, Grenada and W. M. C. Memphis is now program manager for W. R. D. W. which is affiliated with the Columbia Broadcasting System. He is located in Augusta and in this city the young couple will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wells and children visited in Memphis Sunday, attending the air show.

Miss Imogene Calk returned to Northwest Junior College at Senatobia Sunday afternoon after a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Calk. Miss Calk assisted with the musical program on Thursday afternoon at a tea given in Senatobia honoring the graduating class of Northwest Junior College. At this lovely affair, another young lady of Grenada county, Miss Patsy Ruth Shaw, of Holcomb, assisted with serving refreshments.

ATTEND CONVENTION

Mrs. A. L. Trotman, president of Grenada Business and Professional Woman's Club, and Mrs. Ruby Hudson, district officer, returned Sunday afternoon from Meridian where they attended a state wide meeting of Business and Professional Women Clubs.

They reported a splendid meeting. The nationally known speaker, Mrs. Helen Kidd Thompson, was guest speaker. District 4, of which Grenada is a member, won the membership award, the gavel and the bronze gong used at the state convention. Each club in district is to keep these trophies an alloted time. Grenada club has them at present.

At the end of club year and at next convention these handsome pieces will be returned to state president for award to the successful district in membership drive. It is the sincere wish of dtstric 4, to win again.

Mr. Jack Scott, who resides at Edwards Hotel in Jackson, spent several days here looking after his mother's home on Margin Street.

GORE SPRINGS NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Howard James and Miss Thelma McCustion visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Honeycutt Sunday.

Mr. Tony Chamberlain spent the week-end in Starkville as the guest of Mr. J. B. Bowen. He was accompanied by Miss Jessie Mae Mormas to Mathiston. She stopped over and spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Elwanda Morman who is a student at Woods Junior.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cohea, of Elliott, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cohea Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. McKnight and two children, Wayne and Sharon, Clanton were guests of their mother, Mrs. Annie Tharpe through the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tharpe, of Grenada, visited friends and relatives in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. McKnight and children, Mrs. Aunie Tharpe and son, T. J., attended the Memorial at Philadelphia Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Chamberlain was the guest of Mrs. Ray Cohea Monday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank McGahey visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McGahey Monday afternoon.

Prof. and Mrs. Eugene McGahey and little daughter, spent Sunday in Bellfountain as guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Hicks.

Messrs. Jack Clanton and Ottis Gordon, of Cadaretta, visited with Mr. T. J. Tharpe Saturday night.

Congratulations to the graduates.

Me and Mike are not lost, just sleeping.

Please look at the expiration date on your paper.

Earl Staten, mayor and dignitary of Oxberry, charted a train, with John Henry Scott at the throttle, and came to the county metropolis on farm holiday.

Some of the saloons in Grenada look like they have been visited by a blitzkreig.

Babe Costillow stayed in town unitl nine or ten o'clock Saturday night. That's too late for such an old man.

Sour Dough

The word Alaska is of Indian origin, meaning, "The Great Country." It is only two-fifths explored. The Alaskan Coast line is 26,000 miles long and the area of this country is 590,884 square miles larger than Texas, California, Oregan and the state of Washington in the South and Southeast are the high mountains.

The tundras stretches far into the North and is a breeding place of millions of birds. Ducks, geese, cranes, swans and all kinds of wading birds. Southern Alaska is the home of the mighty Glaciers; all moving towards the sea. It is said that Alaska is the youngest part of the world. These mighty Glaciers feed the rivers in that section. In the Northern part many lakes provide water for the rivers of which the Yukon is the largest being 2200 miles long (navigable). At the mouth it is 75 miles wide and in this river millions of salmon comes into the fresh water to spawn. Salmon fishing and the canneries is one of the greatest industries.

Mystery is the keynote of the North and because of this mystery it will always attract, will always draw men and women and hold them. It is no mere legend that the North calls back those who have once lived in the snow and mountains.

Each season is perfect beyond description, with the beauty of the channels, main land with tree covered mountains. Towards the ocean and on islands are fox farms and wild life everywhere. There history has been written in the fur industry. Merchants adventurers trading with Hudson Bay and Alert Bay Company. Examining totem poles in their weirdness of design and side by side with them stand modern industries.

No matter how dark the vales and canyons, there is always a light on the top of the mountains, if only a glow.

Dark true and tender is the North, the land of tomorrow.

(The following is a toast, to the women of Alaska.)

"You toast the men of Alaska
God bless them everyone.
They gave their best, they stood the test,
Of the land of the midnight sun.
But what of the brave women
Who mushed close by their side?
She took the trail, they thought her frail.
All hardships she decried.
The sweetheart, wife or mother
She came for love alone.
She stifled fear, fought back each tear,
And built anew the home."

The following is a 12 year old boy's definition of home.

A better home is one my father is proud to support, one my mother loves to keep, one our friends like to come to and one we all love to grow old in.

SOUR DOUGH OF ALASKA

Mickie Clark has been added to the bundle going to the Windy City. We are indebted to him for the clipping which came from the Chicago paper which got Hugh and Paul mixed up.

President Roosevelt made a magnificent speech last week, virtually calling this nation to arms. He is just as sure of being nominated for a third term as anything else in this changable world.

John Pressgrove, our affable, astute and alert Chancery Clerk, got his name in Mr. Tom's morning paper Sunday when Oil Editor Erle Johnson spotted John in Jackson.

Speaking of Pressgroves, Rice E. Pressgrove has a handsome new mottled straw hat, quite becoming to his particular form of beauty.

We neglected Mitchell last week. He is still at Parchman and likely will stay there for four years.

Tribute To A Faithful Old Negro

The following tribute was paid to Uncle Ben Butler, now an inmate of the Colored Home in Grenada, by Mr. S. H. Horton, who has known this 105 year old negro for twenty-seven years.

Grenada, Miss., Dec. 2, 1939

To whom it may concern:

I have known Uncle Ben Butler for twenty-seven years. He worked for me a good part of this time and in all my life I have never found anyone more loyal or who tried harder to carry out a promise. He paid his debts when he was on my farm and never failed to answer when I needed him day or night. I have left my family under his protection when it was necessary for me to be gone from home for a short time. He has handled my pay roll bringing back the money from Grenada to Hardy and this was several hundred dollars a week. He is absolutely reliable and the great pity of it is that there are not more like him in this world today. The world would be better off and there would be no need for jails and prisons.

To live as long as Ben has and to have earned such a fine reputation

Poundkeeper Notice

If you [illegible] impounded, [illegible] before the [illegible]

T. M. Smith

Graduation Gifts

CAMEO and AMITY
LEATHER GOODS BILL SETS
Personal Secretary Sheaffer Pens & Pencils
Sheaffer's New Femeline Pencils $5.00
Grenada Made Nylon and Silk Hose
Sweets (CANDY) to the Sweet Girl Graduate
Cara Nome Sets Graduation Sets
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Dyre-Kent Drug Co.

I'LL TUNE OUT THE ALKA-SELTZER ANNOUNCEMENT
Don't-THAT'S THE MOST IMPORTANT THING YOU'LL HEAR TONIGHT
"When statements about Alka-Seltzer are made over the air, please, please believe them."
Mrs. Oma Catherine Jones

MILLIONS suffer less from Headache, Acid Indigestion, Aftereffects of Colds "Morning After" and Muscular Fatigue because they have heard—and believed—Alka-Seltzer radio announcements.

To these millions, the relief obtained by the use of Alka-Seltzer is worth far more than the price of admission to radio broadcasts.

The most important parts of our radio programs, to you and to us, are the commercial announcements. Once you have tried Alka-Seltzer we believe you will agree with us.

But try Alka-Seltzer because it is an unusually effective medicine not because you enjoy the radio programs.

WHY ALKA-SELTZER IS SO EFFECTIVE

The pain-relieving analgesic in Alka-Seltzer is in complete solution, ready to ease the distress as soon as you swallow it. The pain-relieving action is made more effective by alkaline buffers.

The alkalizing elements in Alka-Seltzer relieve excess stomach acidity.

Get Alka-Seltzer the next time you pass a drug store.

Large package 60¢
Small package 30¢

Try a glass of Alka-Seltzer at your Drug Store Soda Fountain.

Alka-Seltzer

Hate To Get Up In The Morning?

Do Your Friends Call You Lazy?

Some people hate to get up in the morning, feel lazy all day, draggy, achy, generally no account. This lack of energy may not be caused by the weather. Often this condition is caused by poor elimination which is probably due to an unbalanced diet, lack of green foods during the winter, nor enough exercises, and after effects of winter colds. If you are constipated and bilious due to these causes and there is no organic trouble we urge that you try Nash's C. & L. Tonic and Laxative today.

No doubt many persons right here in your own community have received great relief from temporary constipation, mild forms of biliousness and the most prevalent type of Malaria by the use of Nash's C. & L.

Mr. Nash, who has been manufacturing drugs and filling prescriptions for forty years, places his personal guarantee on every bottle sold. He says, "Try Nash's C. & L. one week. If you are not satisfied your druggist is authorized to refund every cent you paid. I don't want your money if my medicine doesn't help you." Be sure to get Nash's C. & L. Price 50c per bottle.

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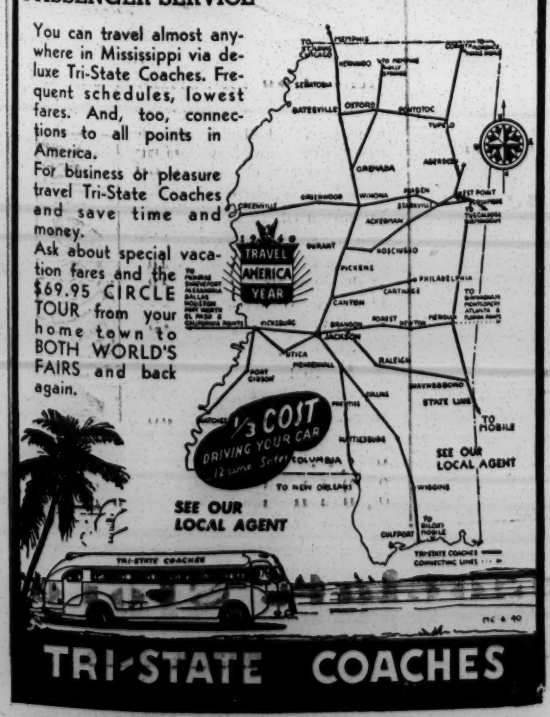

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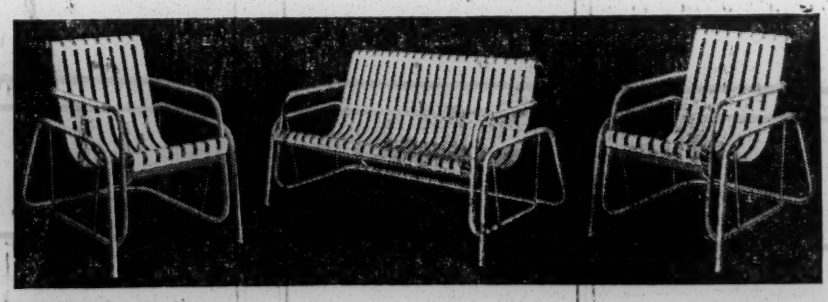

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REVELL FURNITURE CO.

YOUR DOG

Man conquered the dog and became his sponsor and together they have battled their way to the forefront of civilization. It is natural there should be many kinds and types of dogs each the result of human fancy each filling a specific purpose. Men and women dependent on those for the protection to which they are entitled under the scheme of civilization of which they are a part. They are the reflection of human life co-workers in various places they are companions and protectors in the home, in the field of sport they do their part as do the men.

The pup that the baby mauls and tumbles and sometimes swings by the tail. The dog of the boy often only a mutt but the boy's dog just the same. They romp and grow and pal together and fght for each other too. The dogs of the north mush away across the limitless ice waters trailing the sledges of men. The dogs of Saint Bernard patroling the storm confused trails of the Alps in search of lost humanr lest they perish in the snow stock dogs guarding the flocks. The little dogs for pets. Tre pugilist of dogdom fighting for the fun of fighting the sturdy bull dogs merciless in combat. Hounds working the criminal's trail a trail no mortal can see and the field dogs the gentleman hunting dog and they die for the men they serve. And last but least is the chinch den dog name (Bilbo) neither fights or bites ready for his sleep when he gets his eats. Some diseases are common to both people and dogs of those rabies is the most dreaded because there is not much cure. However, rabies is not very prevalent. Man's problem is to control and eradicate it, the dog can't do that. Rabies is a serious disease and the dog is entitled to fairness and in fairness we should see that the dog gets it. Science has worked out a simple method of protection against the disease by vaccinating the dog dog with rabies serum before the dog is exposed to the infection. If honestly and properly done vaccination is good protection against the disease for a year even the dog be bitten by a rabid dog. By making the dog safe you protect yourself and family.

Every municipality should do its part in the eradication of the disease.

WM. P. FERGUSON

Our friend Sisson of the Commercial Appeal Bureau must be hard up for writing material as he is writing now of the governor's race in 1943 We elect two U. S. Senators before that time, Sisson.

Classified

LOST: One white setter dog with brown ear and side of head. Left with pointer bitch. Dog has collar with "F. S. Hill" on it. Return and receive reward. Dr. F. S. Hill.

WANTED: A room close to business section. Aman who who is not so particular. Phone 747.

WANTED: Two Rawleigh dealers for Grenada County. See D. W. Rose, 167 Poplar Street. Phone 249.

FOR SALE: Bargains in used refrigerators (ice boxes), Grenada Implement Co. 5-16tfc

FOR RENT: Three rooms upstairs over Cook's Novelty Shop. Apply to Miss Cook. 5-16tfc

REFRIGERATOR FOR SALE: 5 1-2 ft. Atwater-Kent. Call 168-M. Mrs Ray Finney. o-23 tfc

FOR SALE SADDLE HORSES: Have two nice young saddle mares. H. R. Whitten, Charleston, Miss. Phone or write. 5-23, 30p

PROGRAM OF

PIX Theatre

FRI. - SAT., May 24-25th

Outside the 3-Mile Limit

with

Jack Holt - Dick Purcell

10c-20c

Matinee Saturday 2 and 3:30 P. M.

Night 7:15 and 8:45

MON. - TUES., May 27-28th

Pioneer Days

with

Jack Randall

Plus

Chapter No. 8, "Kit Carson"

10c-20c

WED. - THURS., May 29-30th

Three Sons

with

Edward Ellis - William Gargan

Kent Taylor

10c-20c

Shows start 7:45 every night except Saturday 7:15 Matinee Saturday 2 and 3:30 P. M.

HAPPY HOME Hints

by

Fannie Mae Izard

Home Service Director

Mississippi Power & Light Co.

Fannie Mae Izard

Every homemaker — from the youngest to the oldest—who is genuinely interested in this business of homemaking is constantly on the lookout for hints and suggestions that will enable her to do a better job of homemaking and at the same time allow her more leisure for other interests. Perhaps you have a neighbor down the street who finds time to play bridge and golf and to go on trips with her husband. Another takes an unusual interest in church and community affairs and spends entire days working in their behalf. A friend across town knits beautiful garments for herself and the children in her "spare time". None of the three has a maid, but the children are well dressed and rosy cheeked, the husbands always look as if things ran smoothly at home and a visit to either household will find rooms that are attractive and clean. What can the answer be? If you were to visit the homes you would surely find that these three homemakers have learned that modern household appliances—properly placed and used—can change "housekeeping" into "home-making" and change "drudgery" to "leisure."

In order to help you in selecting the appliance that will fill your particular need, in placing it properly in your home, and in getting the greatest benefit from its use, the Mississippi Power & Light Company maintains a staff of nine young women. These are the Home Service Advisors who conduct the cooking schools and group demonstrations in your towns and who call on you in your homes. They are college graduates in Home Economics and have had special training in the use of all home appliances.

If you would like to do less **"house-keeping"** and more **"home-making"** get in touch with your Home Service Advisor through our local office, or write me in care of this newspaper, and ask to have her suggest ways in which you can make modern appliances do the "drudgery" and leave the **"leisure"** to you.

Somebody said Fred Sullens was in Grenada one day last week. Wonder if he was scouting for Hugh White? I guess he was. Hugh will do pretty well in Grenada County, we hear, but not on account of Fred.

Ask Roger Parker what the P in WPA stands for.

FOR SALE: pencils, needles and razor blades. I can not resist 'em.

PROGRAM OF

Grenada Theatre

THURS. - FRI., May 23-24th

Virginia City

with

Errol Flynn - Miriam Hopkins

Randolph Scott 10c-28c

Matinee Thursday 3:30 P. M.

SATURDAY, May 25th

Colorado City

with

Gene Autry - Smiley Burnette

Plus

Chapter No. 6 "Drums of Fu Manchu" 10c-28c

Matinees 2 and 3:30 P. M.

Night 7:15-8:45

Owl Show Saturday 10:30 P. M. and Sunday Afternoon 2 and 4

Star Dust

with

Linda Darnell - John Payne

Roland Young

10c-28c

MONDAY, May 27th

Seventeen

with

Betty Field - Jackie Cooper

PAL NIGHT

20c Admits 2

TUES. - WED., May 28-29th

Young Tom Edison

with

Mickey Rooney - Virginia Weidler

George Bancroft

Plus

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Shows start every night 7:45 except Saturday 7:15. Matinees Wednesday 3:30, Thursday 3:30, Saturday 2 and 3:330.

Adequate Wiring An Important Item In Modern Home Life

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2. There should be enough outlets and switches, properly placed, to insure complete comfort and convenience in electrical living.

As to the cost of adequate wiring, it represents less than one per cent of the total building expenditure. No builder, large or small can afford to overlook this vital construction feature that alone, of all parts of the house structure, has such power to bring life into the home.

Our guess: This nation will be an armed camp within three months.

Nobody killed on 51 south Saturday night.

Eli Whitaker paid his subscription recently.

GRENADA BOY HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Baker attended the graduation exercises at Miss. State College on Sunday and Monday of this week, at which time their son, George Baker, graduated with special honors, Bachelor of Science in School of Electrical Engineers.

The many friends of this fine young man and of his parents are proud of the record he has made at Miss. State the past four years. He has been awarded a scholarship to Cornell University in recognition of his outstanding ability.

Other honors achieved by this young man are, besides the Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering, membership in the following organizations: Phi Eta Sigma, Freshman fraternity; Kappa Mu Epsilon, honorary mathematial society; and Tau Beta Pi Honorary Society conferred at the termination of senior year, Kappa Kappa Psi, band society.

He was a member of State Band three years. A member 1492 club; a member of Y. W. C. A. Council; of the Miss. State Glee Club, and a member of American Institute of Electrical Engineers, a society for developing individual engineers.

This paper adds its congratulations to those of the many friends of this fine young man upon the honors he has earned at Miss. State. We predict a great future for George Baker.

Aint Jessica Dragonet got a pretty voice. True, if not grammatical.

Sam Mitchell disemboweled several small top minnows one night recently.

CBTWTH (Come Back With The Wind): Punchboards.

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TWO YEARS OLD

THOMAS SHERREILL HODGE

The above is Thomas Sherreill Hodge, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. U. Hodge of Grenada. He was two years of age Tuesday, having been born on May 21, 1938.

Squire Pickle, who is dealing out Blackstonian justice out in the wilds of Beat Four, was an honored visitor to the county capital Saturday. His wife is watching the hen nests too closely for him to slip any eggs, so he finished paying off with some of this cost money.

Little Tommie Rose joins the mighty chorus of male voices in chanting the litany, "Aint they sweet".

Our old friend, Don Moore of Cohen Lake, near Oxberry, graced Grenada with his presence Saturday.

Alderman Harry Burkley entertained a number of his friends at a cheese and Coca-Cola, etc. party recently on his airy new sleeping porch.

Grenada is so crowded that several, seriously, are figuring on tents. That is no lie.

Keene Huffington was under the weather several days last week. He can not blame it on overwork.

Congressman Ford stated that the situation was far graver than the man on the street thought.

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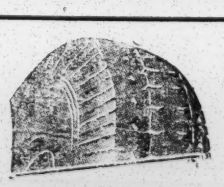

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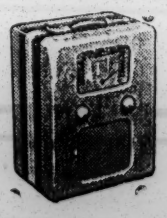

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